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THE WEATHER
Fair today; tomorrow cloudy and warmer, probably followed by rain.
Temperature yesterday—Max., 47; min., 30.
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46 TO 7 FOR COOLIDGE IN PARTY COMMITTEE AS SESSION OPENS

Republican National Body Meets in Washington to Prepare for 1924 Convention.

TO PICK CLEVELAND TODAY

Negroes Protest Hotly Against the Cut in Southern Representation.

WILLIS DEFENDS HIGH COURT

Ohioan Gives a Keynote—Members Pleased at Coolidge Move on Reparations.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—It developed as the Republican National Committee began its sessions here today to prepare for the Presidential nominating convention next year that, as estimated by Administration backers, forty-six of the members were favorable to the Coolidge candidacy.

Of the remaining seven, four are said to look kindly upon President Coolidge's campaign. Among the four is Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, who in due time, it is said, will declare for the President. Thus only three of the National Committeemen are thought to be friendly to Senator Hiram Johnson as a candidate.

It is expected that the selection of Cleveland as the convention city will be made tomorrow.

An incident of the session was a fight by negro leaders and others against the cut in Southern representation in the convention. No action was taken on this subject.

The sessions of the committee, held in the ballroom of the Hotel Willard, were opened with a speech by John T. Adams, the Chairman, who paid a tribute to President Harding and praised the "legacy he has left the Republican Party" for the approaching campaign.

Willis Gives Keynote Speech.

Senator Willis of Ohio, who placed Harding in nomination in 1920, delivered a "keynote" speech, which was intended to give news of the dangers confronting the country and calling for Republican effort.

"Let me say just at the outset," he said, "without undertaking to speak in behalf of anybody, speaking only for myself, I think that the one thing upon which the Republican Party ought to plant its feet as on the everlasting rock is the thing that Harding above all things loved and reverenced and respected, and that is the Constitution of the United States of America.

"I speak of that because there is a movement on foot, ladies and gentlemen—know of it—a movement on foot which contemplates, as I view it, indirectly the destruction of the Constitution of the United States. An amendment is pending in the Senate and another one in the House to the same effect that proposes that the Constitution of the United States shall be so amended as in effect to take away from the courts, of the United States the power which they have heretofore exercised from the beginning of the Government, of passing upon the constitutionality of laws.

"In the name of reform, in the name of the people, it is being urged upon the platform and in the public press that the Constitution should be amended so that hereafter if Congress, in a moment of political heat and excitement, shall pass some law, some bill that shall become an act, and that law is taken in due course, in a case properly made, before the Supreme Court, and the Supreme Court shall decide against the constitutionality of that law, it is provided in this amendment that is alleged to be in the interest of the people that all you need to do after that to get it to be constitutional is to have Congress pass it over again by an appropriate majority and then it is the law anyhow.

Urges Fight for Constitution.

"Well, my fellow Republicans, I think that it is fundamental that we have a clear understanding about that proposition. If that shall be done, in effect, we shall have substituted for the Constitution of the United States the mere temporary, fleeting, ephemeral will of a Congress. If Congress can pass a law over the decision of the Supreme Court that act then is tantamount to an abolishment of the Constitution of the United States.

"Therefore, I suggest to my fellow Republicans that the thing of prime importance, of paramount importance, is that we shall keep our eyes open to this situation and shall not permit this the greatest Government beneath the stars to be wrecked by alleged reformers that care nothing for the Constitution, but would be glad to have it torn to tatters.

"I think that is one position that our great lamented leader would have us take, without any doubt.

"And then another matter that we must consider, a thing that is more or less in the people's minds, is the question of the relation of this country and this Government to other countries and other Governments. I think Republicans are very definite in their views upon that proposition. It may just as well be understood now as any other time that during this Administration, or any other Republican Administration, this country will not, under any circumstances, enter the League of Nations. Our mind is made up upon that.

"We hear much about the duty of our country to help. Well, this is not the

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California Fruit Freezes And Texas Has a Blizzard

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Freezing temperatures and killing frosts were reported by the Federal Weather Bureau today from one end of California to the other.

The cold damaged the Valencia orange crop in the lower San Joaquin valley, but there was little likelihood of damage elsewhere, the Weather Bureau announced. High winds were expected to keep the frost from settling in the southern part of the State.

Paso Robles showed the lowest reading last night, with 17 degrees above zero. Santa Barbara recorded the freezing point, while at Santa Rosa the thermometer was 28 and at San José 30. Bonita, near San Diego, reported a killing frost.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 11.—El Paso was swept today by one of the worst blizzards in twenty years, according to Weather Bureau records. Snow had fallen steadily for more than twelve hours, while a steady gale caused damage to homes and other properties throughout the Rio Grande Valley.

SENATE FAILS AGAIN TO END DEADLOCK

Radicals Hold Fast in Three More Ballots on Cummins as Commerce Chairman.

THEY BLOCK COMPROMISE

Democrats Are in a Dilemma, but Hope That the Committee Will Now Function.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Senate deadlock involving the chairmanship of the Committee on Interstate Commerce remains unbroken, and tonight there is no sign of a change. Three ballots were taken today and on each of them the Radical lines held fast.

Senator Cummins, the candidate of the Administration Republicans for Chairman, received 41 votes on the first and third ballots and 39 on the second. Senator Smith of South Carolina, the Democratic choice, received 39 on each ballot, while five Republican Radical-Progressives and the two Farmer-Labor members from Minnesota gave their votes to Senator La Follette.

The leaders on both sides are fully alive to the seriousness of the situation, but have been unable to arrive at any compromise with the La Follette forces. Senator Wheeler of Montana, the Radical leader on the Democratic side, said again today that a vote for Cummins was an indirect endorsement of the Esch-Cummins law.

The only way to elect Cummins, the Radicals say, is for enough Democrats to desert to the Republicans, and in that event Mr. Wheeler, it is stated, will take the floor and brand such Democrats as allies of the Old Guard.

The Democrats, as well as the Republicans, are anxious to see the deadlock ended, for the Interstate Commerce Committee will take up some of the most important problems, involving the railroad system of the country, which this Congress is to be called upon to solve. The Republicans say that they will never surrender to the Radicals, while the Democrats, even though anxious to settle the controversy, have no plan but to stand by their own candidate.

If the Democrats were willing to trade there seems to be little doubt that they could reach an agreement which might put Senator Smith at the head of the committee. He does not want the place, but being the ranking Democratic member of the committee, he has no choice.

When the result of the third ballot was announced Senator Lodge, as he did yesterday, moved an executive session, and after that session an adjournment was taken.

The Senate adopted a resolution, introduced by Mr. McCormick of Illinois, which calls for an investigation of the Bureau of Efficiency, though Senator Smoot, Chairman of the Finance Committee, said that in his opinion the resolution was useless.

HOUSE REPUBLICANS WILL ACT PROMPTLY ON TAX REDUCTION

Ways and Means Chairman Says Committee Is Ready to Cut to Lowest Point.

MEETING SET FOR MONDAY

Mellon's Plan Will Be Studied and a New Measure Drafted, Item by Item.

BONUS MEN PRESS FIGHT

Representatives Will Confer Today —Curtis Offers Old Bill in the Senate.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Members of the Ways and Means Committee of the House will take up Monday the study of Secretary Mellon's recommendations on tax reduction and begin drafting them into a bill. Chairman Green and Representatives Treadway and Hawley, members of the committee, will confer with Mr. Mellon tomorrow.

Mr. Green said in a statement this afternoon that, with an expected surplus of $329,000,000 at the close of the present fiscal year, it was obvious that taxes should be cut down, and the existing tax laws should be simplified. Treasury experts, the Chairman stated, had been working five months in rewriting the laws so as to make them clearer.

Representatives of the soldier bloc in the House said today they had asked Representative McKenzie of Illinois to introduce on Thursday a bill designed by the veterans, and behind which they will stand. This measure contemplates that the expected surplus of $329,000,000 would be used to absorb a first year's bonus payment of $87,000,000 and elimination of $33,000,000 raised from the nuisance taxes, and leave the balance of $209,000,000 to cover reductions on income taxes.

Chairman Green's Statement.

The statement from Chairman Green reads:

"The report of the Secretary of the Treasury and the budget report have made it manifest that the Government will have a large surplus in the Treasury at the end of the present fiscal year above a necessary working balance and payments upon the debt through the sinking fund. It ought to be clear to every one that taxation should not be continued at a rate that would produce this result. The time has also arrived when a complete revision of our revenue laws should be made for the purpose of their simplification in the interest of the taxpayer and the Treasury alike, and also for the purpose of preventing evasions.

"The recent letter of the Secretary of the Treasury addressed to me shows that, in accordance with my request, made shortly after the adjournment of Congress last Spring, the Treasury has been engaged in the preparation of plans for the simplification of the law and its complete revision. The labor involved has been so great that the final draft is not yet in print, but I expect to call the full Ways and Means Committee together next Monday to take it up and thereafter proceed with the work of revision as rapidly as is consistent with accuracy and thorough consideration. The Revision Board of the Treasury has been working overtime for about five months, in the course of which it has rewritten the whole law and embodied therein the recommendation of the Secretary of the Treasury as contained in his letter to me.

"It is obvious that so great a task as is now presented to the committee cannot be disposed of summarily, but it should also be borne in mind that the income taxes affected by the proposed measure will not be payable until 1925. Some time will necessarily elapse before the committee can complete even an examination and consideration of the administrative features alone, and the whole bill must be revised with great care; but there will be no unnecessary delay.

"The Ways and Means Committee has

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Institute of France Unanimously Elects Nicholas Murray Butler to Membership

Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, it was learned here yesterday, has been elected by unanimous vote a member of the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences of the Institute of France. Dr. Butler is thus honored as one of the recognized leaders of the intellectual life and activities in the United States, and because of his championship of France during the World War and his activities in forming intellectual and educational bonds between the two countries.

The Academy of Moral and Political Sciences is one of the five constituting the Institute, which, founded by Richelieu in 1635 and abolished by the Revolution, was revived by the first Napoleon. Another is the famous French Academy, the "Forty Immortals," which is supposed to keep the French language pure while working on a monumental dictionary of the language.

President Butler has been elected to fill the seat left vacant by the late Lord Bryce, author of "The American Commonwealth," who crowned his career by being British Ambassador at Washington. The only other American member of the Academy is Woodrow Wilson. The late Theodore Roosevelt was also a member.

Living foreigners who are members are Eleutherios Venizelos, former Premier Salandra of Italy, Baron Descamps K. C.; Cardinal Mercier of Belgium, M. Ador, former President of the Swiss Republic; former Premier Luzzatti of Italy, who succeeded to the chair left vacant by the death of Gladstone; former Premier Sanadra of Italy, Baron Descamps of Belgium and Professor Masaryk, President of the Republic of Czechoslovakia.

Their French associates, from many of whom cablegrams of warm congratulation have been received by President Butler, include Alexander Millerand, President of the French Republic, M. Jonnart, French Ambassador at the Vatican, Alexander Ribot, former Premier, who is also a member of the French Academy, and Marshal Pétain.

President Butler, as a member of the Institute, will be entitled to wear the uniform devised by the first Napoleon, consisting of a dark green claw-hammer coat covered with embroidered palm leaves, trousers of the same hue, a cocked hat with green feathers and a court sword.

ROBS CONVICT'S WIFE POSING AS RESCUER

Woman Raises $1,000 to Pay "Prison Guard" Who Said He Let Husband Out.

SAVED MONEY BY HIDING IT

New Jersey Authorities Seek for Band Which Tries to Fleece Prisoners' Relatives.

New Jersey authorities yesterday took the trail in search of a band of thugs and confidence men they said had apparently begun to prey upon wives and relatives of convicts. The hunt was spurred by two cases which came to light yesterday. In one, Mrs. Mary Barone of Nutley was assaulted but frustrated an attempt to steal $1,000 from her after a journey to Philadelphia. In the other, mysterious inquiries were made for the wife of William J. Lyons, fallen labor boss of the Newark building trades. In both cases, men posed as prison attaches acting in behalf of the respective inmates.

Mrs. Barone was visited last Friday at her saloon at 242 Washington Avenue in Nutley by a stranger who said he was a night guard at the Trenton penitentiary. Mrs. Barone's husband, Antonio, is serving a life term there for the murder of a fellow countryman. The "guard" whispered to her that he had engineered Antonio's escape by smuggling him out of the penitentiary at night in women's clothes, and that he had secreted him in Philadelphia, where Antonio wished his wife to bring him $1,000 for passage to Italy.

Mrs. Barone by appealing to friends finally made up the required amount, and accompanied her husband's supposed benefactor to the alleged hiding place, police reported. She found it to be a deserted house on the outskirts of Philadelphia. The "guard" detained her outside while he made various mysterious sorties in and out of the night shadows, until Mrs. Barone demanded she be taken to her husband. The man then whirled upon her, struck her heavily over the head, beating her to her knees, snatched her purse from her hand, and fled.

Three stitches were taken in Mrs. Barone's head at a Philadelphia hospital, but when the surgeons remarked upon the equanimity with which she stood it she remarked that it was because the purse had contained only $28. Of the original $1,000 she had brought with her, she had tucked $950 in the bosom of her dress, the remainder having gone for traveling expenses from Nutley.

Barone himself was reported last night as still resting at Trenton, safe from "friends."

Mrs. Barone's experience, however, was fitted in by the authorities with reports of similar fake attempts, particularly the appearance of a man passing himself off as a prison keeper who called at a Newark address in search of the wife of "Billy" Lyons. The man waxed confidential in much the reported manner of Mrs. Barone's assailant, but when informed he had the wrong address he vanished and has not been heard from since.

FIVE DESTROYERS SENT FROM MANILA FOR CHINA

They Are Hurried Off to Protect Canton Customs Funds From Sun's Threat of Seizure.

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MANILA, Dec. 11.—The American destroyers Peary, Pope, Pillsbury, Preston and Sicard sailed tonight under rush orders for Hongkong.

They were dispatched in consequence of the recent threat of Sun Yat-Sen, the Southern Chinese leader in Canton, to seize the custom funds there to carry on his campaign against the Northern forces.

MANILA, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—The concentration of foreign warships at Canton was indicated in reports from that city last week after threats were said to have been made by Dr. Sun Yat-sen that he would seize the custom funds of the port unless he obtained an allotment of 13 per cent. of the surplus from the fund from the Peking Government.

Earlier reports that the Canton custom house had been seized were found to be erroneous, but it was learned that a flotilla of gunboats—four British, two French, two American, one Portuguese and one Japanese—were anchored in the harbor, with the situation under close surveillance.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The American destroyers dispatched to Honkkong were sent by Admiral Washington, Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic Fleet, and not on orders from Washington.

It was stated at the Navy Department today that Admiral Washington has authority to make such disposition of warships in Far Eastern waters as may be necessary for the protection of American interests.

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WEBB WINS ON WILL BY ORDER OF COURT

Jury Decides Ten Questions of Fact in Support of Woman's Last Testament.

LAW POINTS STILL AT ISSUE

Verdict Reached After Evidence of Two Witnesses of the 40 Called Is Heard.

At Surrogate Foley's direction the jury which listened to evidence in the trial of the Webb will contest for only one day, returned a verdict yesterday favorable to Charles Webb, husband of Mrs. Gertie Gorman Webb, who was named beneficiary of Mrs. Webb's large estate, in a will executed Aug. 21, 1923. The verdict, however, dealt only with the facts of the case, the legal aspects of which will be gone into at 4 o'clock next Monday afternoon.

Forty subpoenas, it was said, had been issued to witnesses, many of whom had testified before the Westchester Grand Jury when it was alleged Mrs. Webb's death at the Westchester Biltmore Country Club on Aug. 28 last, was not from natural causes. Only two witnesses were heard, Colonel Howard T. Kingsbury of Coudert Brothers, who drew the will, and Wilson Woellper, Mrs. Webb's financial adviser, who signed the document.

After Surrogate Foley had directed the jury to answer ten questions of fact in favor of Mr. Webb, it was discharged. The questions were: "Did Gertie Gorman Webb execute the will and acknowledge to the witnesses that it was subscribed by her? Was it her last will and testament? Were there two subscribing witnesses? Was Mrs. Webb of sound mind when she signed the will? Was undue influence exerted upon her? Was the execution of the instrument secured by fraud? Did the testatrix understand the purpose of the paper? Did she sign under a mistaken impression of the law as it was explained to her by Howard T. Kingsbury, the draftsman of the instrument? Did the will express Mrs. Webb's desires? Did Mr. Kingsbury correctly transcribe in the will the instructions given him by Mrs. Webb?"

Colonel Kingsbury testified on Monday that at Mrs. Webb's urgent request he had prepared a short will, leaving everything to her husband, in view of the fact he did not have sufficient time to incorporate in the document all the legacies to relatives and to charity which she desired. He said, however, that it had always been Mr. Webb's intention to carry out his wife's wishes.

The contest of the executed will was filed by Mrs. Webb's father, S. Jennings Gorman of Bridgeport, Conn.; her half-brother, S. Jennings Gorman Jr., and E. A. S. Hunter, William T. Hunter Jr. and J. A. Hunter, cousins, all of Devon, Pa. Mrs. Webb's property is valued at approximately $1,500,000.

The three points upon which Surrogate Foley announced he would reserve decision until after the argument next week were: "Shall the will be admitted to probate? Is it defective as the last will and testament of Mrs. Gertie Gorman Webb on the ground that it does not name any beneficiaries of the trust involved in it? Is it a conditional will?"

Former Surrogate John P. Cohalan, counsel for some of the contestants, took exception to all the Court's instructions to the jury and made a motion that the petition for probate be dismissed. It was denied. He also asked that the question of fraud be permitted to go to the jury, but this likewise was refused.

When the case opened Mr. Cohalan offered in evidence the will of Mrs. S. Jennings Gorman, mother of Mrs. Webb, which was probated in 1921. Surrogate Foley then suggested to Colonel Kingsbury that he offer the will made by Mrs. Webb before she was married. The Court also directed both sides to submit briefs.

JOHNSON TEST AT POLLS.

Californian Will Run in South Dakota Despite Coolidge Victory.

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 11.—Senator Hiram Johnson will file as a candidate for the nomination as President at the State Presidential preference primary in March.

Senator Johnson's purpose was made known today when John Sutherland of Pierre, a widely known Republican, received a telegram from the Senator giving Mr. Sutherland power of attorney and asking him to file his name on the minority Republican ticket in South Dakota.

At the recent Republican State proposal convention President Coolidge won against the Californian for the majority indorsement.

BOB AIE-VANDERBILT HOTEL
AUGUSTA, Ga.—Spend the Christmas holidays there—Opens Dec. 20th.—Advt.

TO LOOK AND FEEL [illegible] Bell-Ans after meals.—Advt.

HUERTISTAS BEGIN GENERAL ADVANCE ON MEXICAN CAPITAL

One Column Is Reported 75 Miles East of the City, Meeting No Opposition.

CLAIM TAMPICO FOR REBELS

Federal Troops Are Brought From the North to Put Down Revolt of Jalisco Forces.

PACIFIC STATES INVADED

Large Rebel Force Now Marching North From Tepic Threatens Sinaloa and Sonora.

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—A column of the revolutionary army already has reached Apizaco, State of Tlaxcala (about 75 miles east of Mexico City without meeting with resistance from the Obregon forces, according to revolutionary headquarters here.

It is stated that the Federal General Fausto Topete was unable to tear up the railway lines and impede the rebels owing to the rapidity of the advance. The rebel column is commanded by General Pedro Gonzales.

The garrison at Tampico has joined the revolutionary movement against the Government of President Obregon, according to a wireless message received here from Tampico. [A Tampico dispatch printed below contradicts this report.]

General headquarters of the revolutionists announced the receipt of the wireless message this afternoon. If the news is accurate, the entire Gulf coast of Mexico now is in the hands of the rebels.

The general advance against Mexico City began this morning. The advance guard already has reached Limon Plaza, on the Interoceanic Railway, near Oriental, which is an important railway junction about midway between Vera Cruz and Mexico City. Shots were exchanged between the revolutionists and the Obregon forces during the advance.

A strong garrison of the forces of President Obregon is located at Oriental.

Adolfo de la Huerta, head of the revolutionary movement, has established a publicity department here. According to this source of information, two regiments of Federal troops which were dispatched from Mexico City to the front turned against the Government while proceeding out of the capital. Two corps of troops in Puebla have also sided with the revolutionists, and, it is declared, are ready to advance against the capital.

In the State of Tabasco General Ferrara Vera is reported to be in rebellion. He is in control of most of the troops in that State.

The gunboat Zaragoza was prepared today to sail for Tampico to assist in the attack on that city which was to be undertaken by the troops of Governor Lopez de Lara of Tamaulipas, in conjunction with troops commanded by General Panuncio Martinez.

Advices received here say that Celaya, in the State of Guanajuato, northwest of Mexico City, has fallen into the hands of rebels commanded by General Gabay.

A radio message from the headquarters of General Enrique Estrada, commander of the western de la Huerta forces, says that the advance on the capital from this direction is continuing.

Troops which yesterday took possession of Puerto Mexico pursued and dispersed the forces of General Belmar, who abandoned the town with 100 men.

Tampico Controlled by Troops.

TAMPICO, Dec. 11.—The entire oil region from Tampico to Tuxpam is peaceful, according to El Mundo, which says there is not one rebel here.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon the civil authorities here were replaced by the military, says El Mundo, which adds that troops are posted everywhere. The military control the situation and are giving all guarantees. The whole State of Tamaulipas is reported as completely tranquil.

Obregon Joins Western Army.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 10 (via Laredo, Texas), (Associated Press).—President Obregon's special train, which left Mexico City this morning for Irapuato, was given an enthusiastic reception at Tula. The special passed through San Juan del Rio this afternoon and arrived at Irapuato this evening, where the President was scheduled to review troops concentrated against the rebellious forces in Jalisco.

Cable communication with the United

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Germans Rebel at Fashion Of Long Hair and Beards

POTSDAM, Dec. 11.—German barbers are striving hard to popularize new fashions, but their efforts to introduce long hair and fantastic whiskers which can be trimmed properly only by a barber are not successful.

Shaved heads, so much affected by German officers, still remain popular, as a pair of clippers which can be bought for only a few billions of paper marks solves the hair-cutting problem for all the male members of a family, and imitations of American safety razors are so cheap that nobody need grow a beard.

Even the poets and artists are taking to clipped heads and shaved faces.

BALDWIN CABINET DECIDES TO STICK

Formal Determination Made to Meet Parliament and Stay Till Ousted.

HINT OF A LIBERAL TRUCE

Politicians Attach Great Importance to Visit by Asquith to the Premier.

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Cabinet, after sitting about an hour and a half today, decided to meet Parliament and "carry on" until its inevitable defeat occurred. It announced its intentions in the following communiqué:

"After careful consideration of the constitutional precedents and their bearing upon the situation which has arisen as a result of the general election, the Cabinet decided unanimously this morning that it was their constitutional duty to meet Parliament at the earliest possible moment. Parliament therefore will reassemble, as already provided for, on Jan. 8."

This announcement has cleared the air and by putting a stop to intrigues within the Unionist ranks and to excited hopes of immediate office among Labor men gives the country a breathing space of a month in which to consider the situation. Mr. Baldwin, as he read the election returns and realized how completely the country had declined to accept his demand for a free hand in working out a protective tariff, was not unnaturally disposed to resign immediately, and it took a good deal of hard work on the part of Lord Younger and other experienced colleagues to convince him that he ought to retain office. They realized that in spite of the shock the Conservative Party had received it was still the strongest party in the House of Commons and felt that it had in consequence responsibilities it could not shirk. Moreover, the division of the House into three strong parties is a situation which has occurred before and will probably occur again. Therefore, the Conservative leaders regard it as important that a constitutional practice shall be established which will be a guide on future occasions.

The most striking and most recent precedent occurred in 1886, when Lord Salisbury found the Conservative party confronted by a powerful Liberal minority and a strong Irish contingent.

He knew he would be defeated as soon as the Nationalists joined forces with the Liberals, but he felt it his duty to wait until he was defeated by a vote in the House rather than to anticipate his fate by deliberate resignation. It is almost certain that until political party lines are once more readjusted similar situations will arise, and it is evident that Parliamentary Government would become impossible if premature resignations came into fashion.

Government at Other Parties' Mercy.

The Government, however, is under no delusions as to its fate. It knows it is at the mercy of the other two parties, and it is ready to step down just as soon as the fatal division is over. In fact, it has decided that it will not seek to prolong its existence by any formal negotiations with the Liberals. There will inevitably be consultations between individuals, but as a party the Conservatives intend to leave the question of the action which the Liberals take entirely to their sense of what is for the best interests of the country. They know that all is not harmony within the Liberal camp. They know that the Lloyd George wing, reduced now to sixteen or seventeen members, has come back full of animosity against them, but they are not sure how the Asquithian section will act when

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AMERICANS TO JOIN IN INVESTIGATION OF GERMAN FINANCES

White House Announces It Will "View With Favor" Co-operation of Unofficial Experts.

DAWES SUGGESTED AS ONE

Allies and Germany Reported to Be in Agreement on a Wide-Open Inquiry.

HIRAM JOHNSON OBJECTS

Says There Has Been Enough Secret Diplomacy—Wants Negotiation Made Public.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Unofficial participation by Americans in a general European effort to solve the reparations tangle was assured today with an announcement from the White House that President Coolidge favors acceptance by American experts of an invitation from the Reparation Commission to serve on the two committees to be established to deal with the question of German financial capacity.

Shortly after this announcement had been issued Senator Hiram Johnson of California came out with a statement criticising the Government's decision in which he said there had been enough of secret diplomacy and demanding that "all the communications and all the facts" regarding the negotiations be made public.

The plan under which the committees of allied and American experts are to work, under the direction of the Reparation Commission, was proposed by Premier Poincaré. It has the support of Great Britain, Italy and Belgium, and Germany is in accord on the proposition, as is also now the United States. It calls for an investigation by two expert committees, one of which will consider means for balancing the budget of Germany and the measures to be taken to stabilize her currency. The other committee will take up the question of the capital that has been spirited out of Germany.

President Coolidge believes that the adoption of this plan—marking as it does the first time the Powers have been in solid agreement with respect to any important phase of the reparations problem since the signing of the Treaty of Versailles—will prove a most substantial step in the direction of solving the economic problems of Europe. It is the ardent hope of officials of this Government that the experts will be able to unite in elaborating and working out a plan for payment of reparations and one that will deal absolutely with the whole intricate problem of German finances.

Text of White House Statement.

The White House statement reads:

"This Government has been informed that the Reparation Commission is considering the establishment of two expert committees, one to consider the means of balancing the budget of Germany and the measures to be taken to stabilize her currency, the other to take up the question of the capital which has been removed from Germany.

"The inquiry of the first committee would comprehend all the conditions to be realized and the measures to be taken to accomplish the results desired. All the representatives of the Governments members of the commission have expressed the desire to have American experts on the two committees.

"It is understood that the Government of the United States is not in a position to be represented on these committees and that the invitation to the American experts will be extended directly by the Reparation Commission.

"This Government believes that the proposed inquiry will be of great value and in view of its direct interest as a creditor, and of the importance of the economic recuperation of Europe, it would view with favor the acceptance by American experts of such an invitation.

"The immediate proposal before the Reparation Commission has been made by the French delegate and the President of the Commission and has the support, it is understood, of all the allied Governments. The British Government has informed this Government of its desire that American experts should participate in the inquiry.

"The German Government has also brought the matter to the attention of this Government, stating that it would be much appreciated if an American expert were to participate in the work of the first committee as above proposed, as it is believed that in this way important progress could be made toward the solution of the problems underlying economic recovery."

See Constructive Start Made.

The fact that the American experts will act in a wholly unofficial capacity is not expected in any way to lessen the value of their service, nor to detract from the outstanding fact, in the opinion of high officials of the Administration, that a constructive start has at last been made toward settlement of the reparations question, which has so direct a bearing on the whole European financial situation and so important and indirect an influence on the economic and financial interests of this Government.

The work of the second committee, which will examine the question of the escape of German capital into foreign countries, is regarded as of much less importance than that of the first. It is pointed out, however, that this question has been one of the utmost interest to the French people, and this Government is perfectly willing that it should be investigated.

Experts in finance said that while it might be useful for France to know how much German capital was actually being hoarded abroad and to discuss with the

5,600 Tales of Haunted Houses Are Listed By Flammarion, Who Holds Many Genuine

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PARIS, Dec. 11.—In a book which will appear soon Camille Flammarion discussed 5,600 cases of what are usually called "haunted houses," all of which he contends he has "controlled" scientifically.

The book consists of a whole series of extraordinary mysteries of nature well known to all students of this sort of phenomena. Thus in Paris, in 1849, in Rue des Noyers, near the Sorbonne, an uninhabited house was assailed by a hail of projectiles consisting of paving stones and pieces of the walls from neighboring houses, including huge stones, which, because of their weight and size, could not possibly have been thrown in by human hands.

Despite strict police control of the scene, the phenomenon ceased only when the house had been pulled down. When the windows were closely shuttered the projectiles took long flat shapes, enabling them to enter through the slits in the shutters.

One of the most remarkable experiences was that of M. Homen Christo, a widely known Portuguese literary figure. In 1919, when he was a student of law, Homen Christo was expelled from the university. He took a house in Comeada, where he installed himself despite warnings that the building was haunted. Eight days following the arrival of Homen Christo, toward 1 o'clock in the morning, an infernal noise began. Heavy blows resounded on the windows and doors, which opened and shut despite the locks, amidst peals of sardonic laughter.

The same thing was repeated every evening. The police who were mobilized to guard the house were beaten by invisible clubs and cuffed by invisible fists to such an extent that one of them became a raving madman through fear. Climbing the stairs at one time M. Homen Christo suddenly received a violent blow in the face as his wife began crying for help because invisible hands were pulling her backward by the feet. She finally fainted.

A child was torn from its cradle and placed naked on the marble table in the centre of another room after it had been miraculously transported through closed doors. M. Homen Christo finally was forced to give up the house.

The author does not explain the phenomena, but asserts that while many cases of fraud, of course, are known to exist, each case was "controlled" in the presence of worthy observers.

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Russian Workmen Strike Against Soviet; No Pay From Government Jobs Since August

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RIGA, Dec. 11.—In many parts of Russia workmen are clamoring for wages which in consequence of the financial crisis have been long unpaid. In the Donetz district workmen on Soviet enterprises have gone on strike because they have received no wages since August.

At a meting of metal workers held on Dec. 5 it was stated that the Commissariat of Communications, the naphtha syndicate and other Soviet economic organizations had failed to meet their obligations, which rendered the position of the metal industries precarious.

The situation is complicated by the absence of a market due to the peasants' inability to purchase.

For lack of means the industries of the Urals are practically at a standstill. The workers there demand, besides the payment of arrears, the deposit in the industrial bank of funds sufficient to guarantee regular wages in future.

The Pravda declares that the workmen's position is distressing, and that the trouble is likely to spread unless promptly grappled with. It says that 700,000 Russian scythes are lying idle in warehouses.

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German Government at a later date feasible methods of preventing such escapes in the future, there was no practicable way that they could see of compelling private individuals to bring back to Germany any capital they may have invested in other countries.

No announcement was made with respect to the American experts. The expectation is that there will be one such expert invited by the Reparation Commission to serve on each committee. It was intimated in a thoroughly trustworthy official quarter tonight that one of the American experts may be General Charles G. Dawes, the first Director of the Budget of the United States.

General Dawes was a visitor at the White House day and saw the President. He also called on Secretary of War Weeks.

An official stated that General Dawes was certainly not without qualifications, and pointed out that, while he had the reputation of being strongly pro-French, he is at the present time directing a movement for obtaining contributions for German relief. General Dawes served on the administrative staff of the A. E. F. in 1917, was Chairman of the General Purchasing Board and general purchasing agent of the A. E. F. Later he was a member of the Allied Purchasing Board, as well as a member of the Allied Liquidation Commission.

When the American Government started its budget system, General Dawes was appointed Director of the Budget, putting that important departure in American Government finance into effective operation at a time when it was an untried experiment. General Dawes's achievements as Director of the American Budget, it was suggested, would fully qualify him for service on the proposed reparations expert committee to balance the German budget.

J. P. Morgan Also Mentioned.

The name of J. P. Morgan was most prominently mentioned today as the selection for one of the expert committees. No intimation, however, that Mr. Morgan may receive such an invitation was given by high officials.

It is learned officially that this Government does not regard the President's decision as marking a departure in any sense from the essentials of the original Hughes proposal for an expert inquiry into German capacity to pay and for the formulation of a plan of settlement. Officials explained that the expert committee which was to consider means of "balancing the budget of Germany and the measures to be taken to stabilize her currency" could not possibly undertake that task without going into the whole question of Germany's financial capacity and without considering every aspect of the situation, including the question of a moratorium and an outside loan to Germany as part of the plan of settlement.

Therefore at both the White House and the State Department the most optimistic views are entertained as to the probability of something constructive being accomplished under this plan.

President Coolidge, it was stated at the White House, was impressed by the fact that despite criticism in certain quarters in Europe of the United States these Governments had at last turned to the United States with confidence that American judgment and good sense could be relied upon.

At the State Department it was pointed out that the real significance of the plan was that it was "proposed by France, supported by Germany and approved by Great Britain," and that it seemed to offer a "worth-while" method of approaching the difficulty.

In view of our interest in seeking a financial settlement in Germany in order that these amounts might be paid, it has been suggested by some statesmen that we might very well participate officially in the proposed inquiry. The answer of officials to this is the reservation imposed by the Senate to the Treaty of Berlin which prohibits American participation in any of the bodies set up by the Treaty of Versailles without the express sanction of Congress.

Senator Johnson's Criticism.

Senator Johnson in his criticism of the Government's decision does not go on record against its action but the inference drawn from his statement is that he objects to what has been done.

"Reading the carefully phrased sentence," he says, "it is rather difficult to understand just what is sought of our Government or what the Administration wishes to do.

"The old familiar appeal made for our entry into the League—the appeal to our pockets—appears again now in recalling our interest as a creditor. But what are we to do? Are we to establish a mere arithmetician to add, subtract, multiply and divide, or are we, as Mr. Lloyd George suggested while here, to fix certain definite sums and then enforce their collection?

"The American people could better decide what they desired this Government to do if they were fully informed of all the communications and all the facts. Why not tell them?

"The statement rather cryptically seems to suggest a participation in European affairs by private individuals only, designated American experts, invited and presumably named by the Reparation Commission; and yet, apparently, the whole matter has been the subject of negotiations among the various nations concerned.

"Instead of a carefully edited statement which can be variously read, our people are entitled to every fact and to all the communications. We've had enough of secret diplomacy."

SATISFACTION IN PARIS.

American Co-operation "Appreciated and Highly Welcomed."

PARIS, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—The French Foreign Office, on being informed today by the Associated Press of the Washington Government's announcement that it "would view with favor" participation of American experts in their private capacity in the proposed Reparations Committee of Inquiry, expressed through a high official the gratification of the French Government, by which, he declared, "it will be appreciated and highly welcomed."

The members of the Reparation Commission have discussed informally the names of various Americans who might be invited to take part, among them Willis H. Booth, Owen Young, Clarence Mott Woolley, William Elderkin Leffingwell and Silas Strong.

AFTER DEMOCRATS NOW.

Upham to Seek National Convention for Chicago.

Fred W. Upham, Treasurer of the Republican National Committee, is expected in this city tomorrow, bent on winning support among Democratic leaders here to bring the Democratic National Convention to Chicago. Mr. Upham was head of the movement to get the Republican Convention for Chicago.

John B. Drake, Vice President of the Drake Hotel Company of Chicago, said at the Waldorf last night that he expected Mr. Upham immediately after the Republican Committee meeting had adjourned in Washington.

Mr. Drake said he had done nothing as yet, but was awaiting Mr. Upham, who, he said, would "talk to some people," probably including Tammany leader Murphy. "We do not want to get the convention away from you," Mr. Drake added with a laugh, "but Chicago simply has got to have one of the conventions, and that's all there is about it."

REFUSES IRISH AMNESTY.

Minister Declines to Release Prisoners or Cancel Arrest Orders.

DUBLIN, Dec. 11.—The Minister of Defense, Mr. Mulcahy, replying to an appeal from the Labor benches in the Dail today, refused to agree to the release of all untried Republican prisoners before Christmas or to permit the wanted men now at large to return to their homes without interference.

MELLON GIVES DATA ON THE FRENCH DEBT

Tells Senator Borah, Answering Inquiry, That No Plans for Payment Are Pending.

AMOUNT NEARLY 4 BILLIONS

Senator Purposes to Bring the Matter Up in Congress Later in the Session.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. — The only assurance the foreign debt commission has as to the intention of the French Government in the matter of the adjustment of its $4,000,000,000 war debt to the United States is furnished by the conditions and stipulations of France contained in the obligations evidencing the debt, according to statements by Secretary Mellon made in a letter to Senator Borah, which was placed in the Congressional Record this afternoon. The letter was an answer to an inquiry by Senator Borah for information as to the status of the French debt. It reads:

"My dear Senator Borah—I received your letter of the 1st instant, in which you make inquiry concerning the present status of the debt of the Government of France to the Government of the United States, and am glad to comply with your request.

"The amount of the debt due by the Government of France to the Government of the United States, under two different categories, is as follows:

"1—Total advances to the Government of France under authority of the Liberty Loan acts, $2,997,477,800; less amounts repaid (see statement below), $64,212,568.04; principal amount of obligations now held, $2,933,265,231.96.

"Total interest on obligations evidencing above advances, $779,821,606.80.

"Payments made on account of interest, $129,570,376.13.

"Accrued and unpaid interest as of Nov. 15, 1923, $650,051,228.67.

"2—Obligations of the Government of France, by their terms payable in 1 29-1930, received from the Secretary of War on account of sales of surplus war materials under the act of July 9, 1918—$407,341,145.01.

"Interest has been paid as it came due upon these obligations. Total, $3,900,657,606.04.

Payments Credited to France.

"Upon the obligations evidencing advances under category No. 1, above, the payments on account of principal, viz., $64,212,568.04, were made as follows:

"Item 1, Jan. 8, 1919, $3,384,000.00
"Item 2, March 14, 1919, $3,595,000.00.
"Item 3, March 31, 1919, $3,538,000.00.
"Item 4, July 11, 1919, $4,577,000.00.
"Item 5, June 21, 1920, $17,346,490.00.
"Item 6, Aug. 19, 1920, $8,902,083.28.
"Item 7, Aug. 26, 1920, $13,800,275.29.
"Item 8, March 30, 1921, $15,265,604.26.
"Item 9, Sept. 14, 1922, $11,171,676.04.
"Item 10, Feb. 14, 1923, $139,533.19.

"A total of $64,212,568.04.

"Items 1 to 8 in the above schedule of payments constitute in reality the result of final adjustments of accounts. To explain this more fully, in certain instances where a credit had been established or an advance had been made to the Government of France for some purpose, and the total amount of the credit advance was not required, the balance of the credit was withdrawn or the unused portion of the advance was repaid and credited in part as a payment on account of principal.

"Items 6 and 7 are commented upon in the report of the Secretary of the Treasury for the fiscal year 1920. Item 8 is commented upon in the report of the Secretary of the Treasury for the fiscal year 1921, Pages 37 and 38.

"Items 9 and 10 represent the claims of the French Government against the United States Railroad Administration. The checks for these amounts due to the French Government at the time the claims were liquidated were endorsed over to the Treasury and credited as a payment on account of principal of the obligations of the French Government.

"At a meeting of the World War Foreign Debt Commission on April 19, 1922, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved, that the Secretary of State be requested to inform each of the Governments whose obligations, arising out of the World War, are held by the United States, including obligations held by the United States Grain Corporation, the War Department, the Navy Department or the American Relief Administration, of the organization of the World War Foreign Debt Commission pursuant to the Act of Congress approved Feb. 9, 1922, and that the commission desires to receive any proposals or representation which the said Government may wish to make for the settlement or refunding of its obligations under the provisions of the act.'

Details Action Taken to Date.

"In accordance with this resolution the Secretary of State instructed the diplomatic representatives of this Government at the Capital of France to communicate to the French Government the text of the resolution and of the act creating the World War Foreign Debt Commission.

"The French Government in July, 1922, sent a special mission to the United States, stating that he had been designated by the French Government to afford the commission complete information as to the financial condition of his Government, but that the latter did not consider it possible at the present time to enter into any definite arrangements for a funding or settlement of its debt.

"He further stated that it was his Government's desire to postpone for an indefinite period consideration of this matter, until the financial situation of France would become more clear, particularly as to reparation receipts from Germany.

"The commission's position on the subject was explained to M. Parmentier, and especially its desire that a funding of the French debt should take place in the near future.

"On Aug. 17, 1922, M. Parmentier informed the Chairman of the commission that he had been keeping his Government informed of the progress made in the negotiations and that he had received a cable instructing him to return for a full discussion with his Government of the situation as it had developed. The Chairman replied that in his view it could only be beneficial if M. Parmentier should in person discuss with his Government the negotiations which had taken place between him and the commission. M. Parmentier returned to France shortly after this conference.'

"I also quote the following from the report of the World War Foreign Debt Commission for 1923:

"'An account of certain preliminary discussions held in July, 1922, with M. Jean Parmentier, Director of the Movement of Funds of the French Treasury and representative appointed by the Government of France to negotiate with the commission, appears in the previous report of the commission on page 36 of the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1922.

"'M. Parmentier returned to France in August, 1922, for a full discussion with his Government of the situation as it had developed here. No proposals or representations have been received since his departure.'

No Plans Now Pending.

"The World War Foreign Debt Commission has no further information than that set forth in the above quotations.

"You further ask whether the commission has anything in view at the present time in the way of a program or plan pending with the French Government for the settlement of the debt.

"In reply I would say that the commission has at the present time no program or plan pending other than as above indicated. It is, however, the intention of the commission to continue its efforts in every practicable manner to procure the funding of the debt.

"Answering your inquiry as to what assurance the commission has of the intention of the French Government to adjust the debt, I have to say that such assurance is furnished by the conditions and stipulations upon the part of the French Government contained in the obligations evidencing the debt and the statements of M. Parmentier quoted above.

"I trust that I have covered the information which you desire.

"Sincerely yours,

"A. W. MELLON,
"Chairman of the Commission."

It is the intention of Senator Borah to bring the matter of the French debt before the Senate in the near future.

SPORTSMEN SEEK AREAS FOR HUNTING

Federal Action Is Sought to Conserve Game and Not Stop 'Free Shooting.'

Purchase by the Federal Government of areas where no shooting is permitted, and other areas where people of ordinary means may enjoy a few days of game hunting at the proper season, was advocated yesterday by sportsmen and others interested in game conservation, who are attending the annual conference of the American Game Protective Association at the Waldorf.

"If the American principle of free shooting is to be maintained," said R. P. Holland, Vice President of the association, "areas must be furnished on which 'the one-gallus man' may hunt. Several years ago the United States entered into a treaty with Canada for the protection of migratory birds. If we are to fulfill our treaty obligations, we must set aside areas on which no shooting is permitted. On such territory the natural enemies of the game must be held in check.

"All of this takes money. The Federal Game Refuge bill finances itself by providing for a dollar Federal license fee from every man who hunts migratory game birds. It is estimated that there are 7,000,000 gunners in the United States. A great many of these shoot migratory birds, and it can readily be seen that such a license system would produce a large amount of money."

The conference, after a discussion by game commissioners from several States, voted their unanimous endorsement of the bill, which has recently been introduced in Congress.

Dr. Arthur A. Allen of Cornell said that after years of sytudy he had isolated a germ which he believed was responsible for the grouse shortage. The periodical disappearance of ruffed grouse has been a question which has long puzzled sportsmen.

At the annual dinner of the association last night, in the Waldorf ballroom, Colonel W. B. Greeley, chief of the United States Forest Service, was the principal speaker. He told of marked increases in game in many sections of the Government forest land.

LISBON RISING CHECKED, COSTS ONLY ONE LIFE

Rebellious Warship's Signal Fails to Gain Response and Crew Surrenders.

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LISBON, Dec. 11.—Yesterday rumors began to spread that a revolution was due to break out at 8 P. M., and at that hour seven loud explosions—three on land and four from shells from the destroyer Douro lying in the Tagus—alarmed Lisbon. At the first shot windows and streets were deserted, although the street cars continued running.

The movement was started by radicals with the object of overthrowing Dr. Machado's Cabinet, which took office last month. The insurgents soon discovered, however, that the Lisbon garrisons were faithful to the Government.

At 9 o'clock an attack was made on the Belem Palace by a crowd mostly composed of civilians. The guard replied by shooting in the air, whereupon the Revolutionaries threw two bombs. There was then firing on both sides, and the Revolutionaries fled, leaving one man dead. The attack was renewed at 11 o'clock and was again easily repulsed.

In the course of the night some bombs were thrown in the city injuring several people, but at 1 o'clock in the morning the streets were quiet, and at 2 o'clock an ultimatum was sent to the Douro. It was immediately accepted by the leader of the insurrection, Joao Manuel Carvalho, who was Minister of Marine in the Cabinet, formed by Colonel Manuel Coelho after the assassination of Senhor Granjo in the coup d'état of October, 1921.

President Gomez showed great courage and at the outbreak of the insurrection went around Lisbon visiting the garrisons.

Early this morning the Government issued the following communiqué:

"The revolutionary movement which began at 8 o'clock last night has been quickly put down by the immediate and energetic measures taken by the Government, which is in possession of all the elements and material necessary for maintaining order."

URGES ALLIED UNITY.

St. Aulaire Calls Talk of French Imperialism "Rubbish."

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—The French Ambassador, Comte de Saint Aulaire, speaking at a dinner of the United Wards' Club in London last night, defended the French Ruhr policy and emphasized the need of a united allied front. He said he realized that as British business men they had too much sound practical sense to be taken in by the absurd legend of French imperialism and militarism. He did not need to worry them about such rubbish for, diplomatic or not, that was the right expression.

To imagine that France, a country of peasants—that was to say a most peaceful country—a country of a population of less than 40,000,000, was bent upon conquering and holding forever a big piece of a foreign and really militarist country of more than 60,000,000 was to assume not only that France had forsaken her principles and ideals, but that the French were absolutely mad and only fit for a lunatic asylum.

It was to hasten the day when Germany would pay that the French went into the Ruhr, where they would remain as long as they were not paid. The attainment of this object required more or less time, according to the greater or less disposition of Germany to fulfill her obligations, and this disposition itself depended on more or less close and active union among the Allies.

A united front was equally necessary for common recovery in peace as it was for common salvation in war; that was as perfectly self-evident to their enemies as to their friends. That was why the Germans were so eager to divide the Allies and break their front now as they were at the Battle of the Somme, whereas the friends of the Allies, especially the United States, had always proclaimed that the fundamental conditions of the restoration of Europe and of their co-operation to that end was complete understanding among the Allies.

He hoped they would succeed in securing that vital condition.

DAVIS RECOMMENDS NEW LAWS ON LABOR

Secretary Criticizes Methods of Handling Disputes—Seeks Child Labor Amendment.

ASKS IMMIGRATION CHANGES

Aliens Should Be Selected Abroad, He Says—Would Bar Unnaturalizable Races.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Legislation touching the interests of laboring men and women at many points was recommended today by Secretary Davis of the Labor Department in his annual report.

Among other things, he asked Congress to provide a less complicated method of handling railway labor disputes than that now administered under the Railroad Labor Board; to give the Labor Department greater authority and facilities for enforcing better working conditions generally; to make appropriations for improvement of the immigration stations at New York, Boston, Seattle and San Francisco, and to enact a complete new "alien code," providing for selection of immigrants abroad, for exclusion of all non-naturalizable aliens, for the penalizing of unlawful entry of immigrants and for enlargement of the work of naturalization and Americanization. He also renewed his recommendation for a constitutional amendment empowering Congress to pass child labor legislation.

Without going into details regarding the operation of the Railroad Labor Board, Secretary Davis declared that "apparently the differences between the management of the railroads and their employes have been increased and complicated rather than diminished" through operation of the machinery provided under Section 300 of the Transportation Act.

The Secretary pointed out that the Labor Department is commanded by law "to improve working conditions" of wage earners, but declared that nothing could be done in that direction under present legislation except to investigate, report and recommend. Even in this field, he added, department officials are "hampered by lack of specific authority and by meagre appropriations.

"In this connection," the report continued, "there is at present one outstanding need, that is the need for protection from industrial accidents the men, women and children who work. As a preliminary step I would recommend that the department be authorized to organize, through conferences and investigations, the theory and control of industrial, health and accident conditions in order that we might have the necessary facts upon which to base an intelligent, effective program of health conservation and accident prevention.

"In the improvement of working conditions generally there is one American worker who is sadly handicapped. He is the so-called migratory worker—the harvest hand, the lumber jack, the cannery employe, the fruit picker. As a class these migratory workers are generally of a high type of citizenship. The men in the lumber industry and those who work in the harvest fields may be seen when their season of employment is over haunting the slums of our great cities, eking out a precarious existence, undernourished, and sleeping in the cheap lodging house. We might do well to establish camps for their relief. It has been suggested that means might be found to insure the employment of these men in some other industry when their season of regular work has ended. At present we are without authentic facts upon which to deal with this problem properly. Here, too, I would suggest a complete investigation."

Mr. Davis also recommended that the benefits of the infancy and maternity act be extended to Porto Rico, Alaska and the Philippines, that the Federal Courts set up a separate system for handling juvenile cases, and that greater funds be provided the Women's Bureau for inquiry into influences affecting women workers.

Suggests Laws on Aliens.

In a summary of his recommendations for increased facilities for dealing with aliens, Mr. Davis said:

"In my report rendered a year ago I called attention in great detail to the necessity for providing proper equipment at the various immigration stations of the country, particularly Ellis Island, Boston, Seattle and San Francisco. I specifically repeat the recommendations then made. I feel particularly that the Government should construct its own station at Seattle and that the San Francisco station should be moved from Angel Island to the City of San Francisco. In my report of last year it was pointed out that the cost of overhead operation alone would be sufficient to build a new and adequate station on the mainland and pay for the same in about five years.

"I recommend the enactment of an alien code, and suggest as the prime features of it the following:

"Definite, clean-cut provisions as to citizenship, consistent with our laws on immigration and our national destiny.

"The exclusion, as permanent residents or immigrants, of all non-naturalizable aliens of all races.

"The requirement that aliens admitted as exempts under our immigration laws must maintain their exempt status while here, and must, when that status is lost, either qualify as immigrants under our immigration laws, if of the admissible races and classes, or depart.

"Selection of immigrants of the admissible races and qualified classes on the basis of our needs as a nation and economically.

"Selection and inspection abroad sufficient to avoid the return to the land whence they came of large numbers of prospective immigrants after they arrive at our ports.

"The annual enrollment of all aliens so long as they remain aliens.

"The deportation, promptly of aliens found within the United States in violation of our laws, regardless of the length of time they may have been within the United States.

"The speedy and efficient Americanization of all naturalizable aliens within our gates and the elimination of those who cannot be Americanized or naturalized for any reason.

"I am convinced that an alien code based upon these broad principles and carefully framed would make for better aliens for America and a better America for both aliens and citizens."

WILL ACT PROMPTLY ON TAX REDUCTION

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always been favorable to tax reduction. In 1921 Congress reduced the Federal taxes over $630,000,000, which was $300,000,000 more than the Treasury approved. Those who attended a memorable conference at the White House on the 1921 bill will remember my insistence on the repeal of the taxes on transportation, which alone amounted to over $262,000,000 annually, and in this I was supported by the majority of the Ways and Means Committee. This committee is now, as before, ready and desirous of reducing taxes to the lowest point consistent with proper Government expenditures, and will undertake its work with this object in view.

"The ordinary and usual method with a Treasury bill in the committee is to take up the bill item by item and make a new draft which, if approved by the whole committee, is then introduced by the Chairman. I assume that this procedure will be followed in the consideration of the proposed bill."

Among the big batch of bills introduced in the Senate today was a bonus measure presented by Mr. Curtis of Kansas, the Republican whip. The bill was the one which passed in the last Congress and vetoed by President Harding. The action of Senator Curtis was interpreted as the answer of the bonus group in the Old Guard to the report that these Senators in the end would desert the bonus camp and line up behind the President and Secretary Mellon. The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

Bonus Advocates Plan Campaign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—While Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee were holding a meeting today Republican House members who are war veterans continued to make plans for pressing the Soldiers' Bonus bill to a vote. A meeting of the Republican former service men will be held tomorrow, and it was indicated that it also a bonus bill was reported to the House without delay they would launch a movement to have the Republican membership of the House at a conference, instruct the Ways and Means Committee to report the measure.

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LEAGUE COUNCIL DISCUSSES SLAVERY

Takes Steps to Ask Our Co-operation in Controlling the Traffic in Arms.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The business of the League of Nations is to make it possible for Governments to act in unity in accomplishing things and not to take governmental machinery into its own hands, Lord Robert Cecil told the Council of the League.

The Council was discussing the best means of carrying on its investigation into the slavery which still exists in many territories, and Lord Robert warned it that the projected inquiry, the aim of which is the total abolition of slavery, should be conducted with the greatest caution.

The report to the Council on the subject of slavery recommended that the future inquiry be turned over to the Mandate Commission or to the International Bureau in Brussels, but M. Hanotaux of France insisted that a special commission be created. Lord Robert and the others agreed to this and a special body will be appointed if the League's funds can stand the strain.

The Council today reached an agreement on the text of the letter to be dispatched to the United States, inviting it to participate in the framing of new conventions for control of the traffic in arms. In line with Lord Robert's injunction that efforts should be directed toward maintaining American co-operation in non-political matters, a clause was inserted, saying that the Council desired to point out that the temporary mixed commission which is to undertake the arms investigation was an advisory commission, comparable to the advisory commissions for the opium regulation and the traffic in women and children and the health investigations. It emphasizes the valuable character of the American assistance in these matters and declared that the particular work contemplated is at least as important as that of the other commissions, "for the interest of humanity and civilization."

Because of the steady American help to the Russian refugees the Americans found special interest in the extensive report on the Russian exiles made to the Council, which was adopted with resolutions asking all the Governments to continue to support Dr. Nansen.

The report expresses thanks to the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee in New York for its help in the establishment of a scientific institute for the Russian exiles in Berlin. It thanks the French Government for encouraging Russian immigration and says the High Commission is now taking energetic steps to obtain the evacuation of the United States of several hundred thousand refugees now in Poland, Rumania and Constantinople. These refugees, the majority of whom are entirely destitute, could undertake productive work in America, says the report.

"Unfortunately," adds the report, "the High Commission is prevented by the immigration restrictions from effecting this evacuation before it is too late.

"We take the opportunity of paying tribute to the humanitarian work of the Russian Refugees Relief Society in New York, which finds employment for Russians arriving in the United States."

LADD ACTS ON CHALLENGE.

Says He Will Discuss Supreme Court Issue Only in Senate.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. — Senator Ladd of North Dakota, in a letter to Louis A. Coolidge of Boston, made a preliminary response today to the challenge of the latter issued as President of the Sentinels of the Republic to Radical Senators, demanding that they prove or publicly withdraw "charges that the Supreme Court has usurped its power to declare unconstitutional legislation invalid."

Mr. Coolidge's challenge took the form of an open letter addressed to Senators La Follette, Owen, Ladd, Pess, Brookhart and Borah Sunday.

Senator Ladd wrote that he would bring the matter up in the Senate where the court can find "ample defenders," but would not debate it before the Sentinels, whom he considered already decided against him.

ROBB GETS LIGHT SENTENCE

Prosecutor Asks Clemency for Boston Doctor in "Suitcase Mystery."

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 11.—After a plea for clemency by the prosecution, Dr. William M. Robb of Boston was sentenced to the State Prison today for five to seven years for performing an illegal operation upon Mrs. Alice M. Welschendorf and throwing her dismembered body into the Merrimack River after she had died in his office.

Dr. Robb had surrendered voluntarily and had pleaded guilty. District Attorney Arthur K. Reading reminded the Court, thus saving the State a great expense of prosecution; he had shown the authorities today the spot where the only parts of the woman's body not previously recovered were buried; he was 54 years old and had many years of medical practice behind him, and therefore, Mr. Reading held, deserved the minimum sentence. The indictment for murder against Dr. Robb in the "suitcase mystery" had been not prossed.

Dr. Dalva A. Swope of Brockton, held under an indictment as an accessory to murder and later indicted as an accessory to an illegal operation, has not been arraigned on the second indictment. It is expected his case will come up next Friday.

55 Claims on Germany Get $102,588

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Awards in fifty-five cases totaling $102,588 in favor of American claimants for losses sustained during the World War were handed down tonight by the German-American Mixed Claims Commission. The largest cases decided were those of the Geist Manufacturing Company, which was awarded $50,000; the Miehle Printing Press and Manufacturing Company, $29,080, and William Borne, $17,000. Interest of 5 per cent. was allowed in each case.

'PRINCE' OF ILLINOIS HELD, SPATS AND ALL

Poor but Proud Kin of Czar Revealed as Midwestern Youth With Accent.

THREATEN TO DEPORT HIM

Federal Officials Say He Swam From Ellis Island Last Year, Towing His Cane.

"Prince Michael Alexander Obolensky," scion of the Romanoff family of Russia, is no more. New York once admired him as the broken down noble, offspring of a morganatic marriage of Alexander III., who was willing to groom horses to rehabilitate his fortunes, Wichita, Kan., feted him as a real, live nobleman who did not scorn to take a job as floorwalker to maintain himself respectably. Harvard University accepted him on his claim to be a Cambridge man—and put him out when the claim was investigated. And many people paid good money to hear him lecture on conditions in Russia, those lectures being given, as he said, despite death threats from the radicals if he did not still his tongue.

And yesterday Harry Leslie, an agent of the United States Department of Justice, went to the Hotel Brevoort and arrested the continentally fashionable young man, not as "Prince" anything, but as plain Harry Gerguson, who reached this country by working his way on the President Adams of the United States Lines a year ago and who escaped from Ellis Island by swimming. It was characteristic of the pose with which he had bluffed a dozen communities that the fugitive on his long swim trailed behind him on a string the walking stick that was an essential part of his make-up.

At the time of Gerguson's escape from the immigration station he was being held for investigation of his claim to American citizenship and also for medical examination. It was said last night that if the "Prince" did not make good his claim to being an American, he might be deported for "moral turpitude" by accepting at face value his own statement that he had killed a man in a duel while he was a student at Heidelberg. But a survey of newspaper records made it appear unlikely that he ever saw Heidelberg, any more than he ever saw Cambridge; that he ever went nearer to Germany than it was to Russia; in other words, that his foreign travels had never taken him any place but to England, where he acquired an accent and a set of mannerisms good enough to deceive his home town when he went back there to tell them he had become a Major in the British army and a trusted agent of his adopted country, transacting important business in America.

That home town is Hillsboro, Ill., according to at least one of the exposés that have trailed the "Prince" on his adventurous travels in his native lands. There he seems to have been known as Harry Gerguson, a plain town boy, who emigrated to New York and the Bowery, disappeared from the ken of his townsmen and returned suddenly re-tinned, accented, spatted and armed with his glib story of success in England.

INSIST CALIFORNIA STANDS BY JOHNSON

Senator's Backers Declare Coolidge Cannot Beat Him in His Own Home State.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Charles L. Neumiller, head of the Hiram Johnson-for-President organization in Northern California, declared today that Senator Johnson, beyond all doubt, would carry the State in the Presidential primaries next May, despite the prediction in Washington of William H. Crocker, Republican National Committeeman for California, that President Coolidge would win if he opposed Johnson in this State.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 11.—California supporters of President Coolidge started yesterday what they declared to be a Statewide movement for their candidate, with the formation of the Republican League of Sacramento County in this city, where Senator Johnson was born.

Eighty-two similar organizations have been formed in California, and many others will be listed after a State meeting of Coolidge followers to be held in San Francisco tomorrow, State Treasurer Johnson told the league members.

BERLIN REPORT DENIED.

Talk of Pre-Election Treaty of Alliance Called Absurd.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Wednesday, Dec. 12.—"We are authorized emphatically to deny the authenticity of this absurd report," says The London Times, referring to the issue by a German news agency in Berlin of what purports to be the text of an agreement between France and Great Britain said to have been concluded shortly before the general election. "The alleged agreement," adds The London Times, "exists only in the imagination of its anonymous authors."

According to the Berlin news agency Great Britain, by the agreement, was to take part in financial and economic control of the Ruhr. France formally renounced any intention of annexing the Rhineland. German reparation obligations were to be reduced to £1,000,000,000 sterling.

France and Great Britain were to conclude military, naval and air alliances and to pursue a common policy in Continental affairs, especially in respect to the Mediterranean and "should the Government of Mr. Baldwin continue," a special commercial agreement was to be concluded between the two countries.

Sienkiewitz to Rest With Kings.

WARSAW, Dec. 11.—The remains of Henry Sienkiewicz, author of "Quo Vadis?" who died at Vevey, Switzerland, in 1916, are to be brought to Poland. A committee has been formed to make the necessary arrangements. It is proposed to inter the body of the novelist in the cathedral at Cracow, where it will be beside the Kings of Poland, Kosciuszko and Prince Poniatowski.

Woodfill Reports for Retirement.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 11.—Sergeant Samuel Woodfill, the Indiana soldier named by General Pershing as the "outstanding American soldier in the World War," reported today to Fort Benjamin Harrison, where he is to be retired with the highest place obtainable by a non-commissioned officer. George T. Sewell, Regimental Sergeant Major, was selected on Thursday to step aside temporarily to permit Sergeant Woodfill to be elevated to that rank and retired.

Bombers Back From Far West Flight

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Martin bomber which is making a round-trip flight to the Pacific Coast and return landed at Bolling Field today on the last lap of her return trip to Langley Field. The primary purpose of the successful trip was to determine the adaptability of a plane of this type for regular travel on the air mail route, both for commercial and military purposes.

FORD BOOM DELEGATES GO TO DETROIT ANYWAY

Failed to Get Notice of Manufacturer's Veto—Talk of Third Party Plans.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Dec. 11.—Despite Henry Ford's action in vetoing the nation-wide conference called for Wednesday to boost him for the Presidential nomination, delegates began to sift into Detroit today. Telegrams notifying them that the meeting had been indefinitely postponed failed to reach some of them.

"There will be a third party in the field next November, no matter whether Henry Ford is its standard-bearer or not," Robert R. Pointer of Dearborn, head of the Ford-for-President movement in this region, told the few delegates who had arrived on the scene tonight.

Tomorrow the delegates present will hold a meeting, Mr. Pointer announced, at which plans will be discussed for a later convention, probably in Chicago, where Mr. Pointer hopes that the third party will be launched.

"If Mr. Ford runs as a Democrat our party will oppose him," he said today. "While we admire him greatly, and hope to induce him to run as our candidate, it is nevertheless the party which comes first. At our convention in Chicago the prime movement will be to induce Mr. Ford to run. We will not draw our platform until we have named our candidate. We want to go before the people in perfect harmony.

"If Mr. Ford declines to run, I think that we will be able to find plenty of other capable candidates. There's Frank Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, for instance. He has a record for accomplishment and friendliness toward progressive measures.

ADRIAN, Mich., Dec. 11.—Henry Ford's name will be placed upon the Michigan Democratic Presidential preference ballots in April, James W. Helme, an opponent of Ford in the 1918 Senatorial primary campaign, announced today.

STUDENTS BAN LIQUOR.

Pennsylvania State College Council Urges Obedience to Law.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Dec. 11.—Resolutions urging all students of the Pennsylvania State College "to avoid absolutely all participation in any practice or transactions in violation of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution" were passed tonight by the Student Council of the college. Aid also was offered college officials in properly punishing all students committing offenses against the Volstead act.

There was not a dissenting vote in the group of fifty student representative councilmen when the matter was brought to a vote.

The resolutions declare that the Student Council is "vigorously opposed to all illegal traffic in alcoholic beverages," that "we heartily endorse all action on the part of our national and State Executives that will lead to more efficient enforcement of the law," and that "we will support the administration of our college in severely punishing students committing such offenses."

ECLECTIC TESTS PUT OFF.

Connecticut Examiners Decide to Await End of Diploma Inquiry.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 11.—Connecticut's statutory eclectic examinations, scheduled for today by the State Eclectic Medical Board of Examiners, were postponed indefinitely.

Dr. James E. Hair of Bridgeport, Secretary of the board, said that no more examinations would be held until certain schools "have been cleared of any suspicion of being diploma mills."

The applications of about twenty-five holding diplomas from the St. Louis and Kansas City schools and the Middlesex College of Physicians and Surgeons at Cambridge have been placed on file.

Dr. Louis Blumer, head of the Blumer College of Natureopathy in this city, raided twice last week, on orders from the Grand Jury to find if license revoked today by the natureopathic examiners, all three of whom are Blumer alumni. His brother, a lawyer, tried too late today to obtain an injunction to delay the revocation.

WANT PULLMAN RATES CUT.

Traveling Men Ask Coolidge for Removal of 50 Per Cent. Surcharge.

Repeal of the existing 50 per cent. surcharge on Pullman seats and sleepers was recommended in a message sent to President Coolidge in behalf of 912,000 commercial travelers by the National Council of Traveling Salesmen's Associations yesterday.

After congratulating the Chief Executive on his tax budget message, President A. M. Loeb, author of the communication, said the present surcharge for Pullman service was "similar to an appendix, creating $34,000,000 annual supplementary revenue for the carriers for which they do not render any compensatory service in return."

"The surcharge had been imposed as a war measure to curtail unnecessary travel, he said, but since the return of the railroads to private owners there had ceased to be any excuse for its continuance.

IRISH PEOPLE BACK LOAN.

Subscribers Number 22,000, Averaging £400 Each.

DUBLIN, Dec. 11.—Finance Minister Blythe told the Dail Eireann today that there were 22,000 subscribers to the recent Free State loan, with an average subscription of £400. No expense was incurred with the exception of a few thousand pounds for advertising.

The result showed, he said, that it was unnecessary to float future loans in London and New York, and that these loans would be on terms more favorable to the Free State.

"Lenin of Mexico" Reported Executed.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 11.—Heros Proal, sometimes called the "Lenin of Mexico," was executed by a firing squad in the Plaza at Vera Cruz shortly after the revolution broke, according to El Democrata, Callista organ of Mexico City. De la Huerta troops are reported to have directed the execution.

'Under Which Chin, Madam?'
So inquired the French maid of her mistress who instructed her to "fasten these pearls under my chin." "A double chin *is* puzzling but *they* do say, Madam, that a piece of ice rubbed quickly 'under the chins' daily helps to reduce the double chin to a single one."
Just consult you Beauty Specialist and if she agrees that what THEY say is correct be careful enough to use pure, clean Knickerbocker Ice for your Beauty Treatments.
Knickerbocker ICE Company

The Ideal Winter Home
BRIARCLIFF LODGE
America's Foremost Resort Hotel
As the season advances more and more people are making Briarcliff Lodge their home for the Winter. Week-end parties at the Lodge are becoming larger and more frequent.
Outdoor sports are still at their height. The golf course is open and the number of players is reminiscent of Summer. Bridle rides through the winding bridle paths on the splendid mounts available at the Lodge are a constant attraction.
The magnificent woodland and open country about the Lodge are at their best just now. The pines and balsams; the clear, dry air bring health and vigor. The famous Briarcliff Drinking Water—nothing else is served at the Lodge—is appreciated by those who know it.

New Year's Carnival
New Year's Eve will mark one of the high spots in the season at Briarcliff. Preparations are now under way for a New Year's E

PRINCE WILL SUE FOR REMBRANDTS

Takes Ground He Pledged Them With Widener for £100,000 Loan at 8 Per Cent.

REVEALS CORRESPONDENCE

Buckner Says Stipulations of Widener, Who Refuses $518,000, Won't Hold in Court.

Emory R. Buckner of 31 Nassau Street, counsel for Prince Felix Youssoupoff of Russia, said yesterday that the Prince would start suit this month to recover from Joseph E. Widener of Philadelphia two Rembrandts sold to him by the Prince with an option for their repurchase. On Thursday Mr. Buckner will go to Philadelphia with a check for $518,000 for the paintings, but Mr. Widener's attorneys have advised him that the offer would not be accepted. The contract will expire on Dec. 31.

The Prince regards the transaction as a loan of £100,000 for which the Rembrandts are security, and in order to find out if Mr. Widener's calculation of principal and interest agreed with the Prince's the following telegrams were exchanged yesterday:

New York, Dec. 11, 1923.

Ballard, Spahr, Andrews & Madeira, Land Title Building, Philadelphia, Pa.:

Please wire amount in pounds which will be due Dec. 13.

EMORY R. BUCKNER.

Philadelphia, Dec. 11, 1923.

Emory R. Buckner, 31 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.:

Reference your wire this date. No sum of money is due from your client to Widener on Dec. 13 or any other date. See contract of sale dated Aug. 12, 1921.

BALLARD, SPAHR, ANDREWS & MADEIRA.

Paintings Pledged Three Times.

Mr. Buckner made public yesterday an account of the negotiations between the Prince and Mr. Widener, including contracts and correspondence, and revealed that the transaction with Mr. Widener was the third time that the Prince had pledged the paintings since the Russian revolution.

"In June of 1921," Mr. Buckner said, "at the time when the pictures were pledged in London for the loan of £45,000, this being the second pledge to which they had been subjected, and money being very scarce, Prince Youssoupoff and Mr. Widener discussed the matter in London. As a result, Mr. Widener had Prince Youssoupoff write out and sign the following statement, which he brought back with him to Philadelphia and now has:

"I, the undersigned, F. Youssoupoff, agree upon receipt of £100,000 from Mr. Joseph Widener within one month from today to sell to him my two well-known Rembrandt portraits—reserving the option of purchasing them back from him on, or any time before, Jan. 1, 1924, for the same sum, plus 8 per cent. interest from date of purchase."

When Mr. Widener returned to Philadelphia he presumably consulted his lawyer, and sent to Prince Youssoupoff the following letter enclosing a contract which contained something entirely new, namely, an attempt to control these pictures for an additional period of ten years at a price far less than their value:

July 25, 1921.

Prince Felix Youssoupoff,
8 Carlos Place, London.

Dear Prince Youssoupoff:

Immediately on my arrival home a few days ago I went into my finances and, while it is not at all convenient for me under present conditions to use one hundred thousand pounds in what must be termed an unnecessary manner, I have arranged to make it possible.

As you know, I only through sympathy for you in your present condition, which I trust may soon be relieved, am giving you for your personal possession and enjoyment an opportunity to increase these paintings back within a given period, but not to give someone else an opportunity to purchase them under conditions which would be easier for all of us.

As I have said before, it isn't at all convenient for me at this time, when I could invest the same money in securities selling at one-half their intrinsic value.

If the enclosed copy of agreement of sale is acceptable to you, I will ask you to cable, "Widener, Philadelphia, contract acceptable, Youssoupoff." Then I will arrange for my personal and confidential representative, Mr. Arthur Sully, 150 New Bond Street, to pay you the money and take delivery.

Whereupon Mr. Sully will hand you the original contract signed by me, and you will sign the enclosed copy and hand it to Mr. Sully in exchange for one signed by me, which he will hand you together with payment on taking possession of the pictures as my agent.

I will ask that this business is kept strictly private as I do not want it known by anyone that I made the purchase in these days of financial depression.

With all best wishes and kindest regards to you,

I am,

Sincerely,
JOSEPH E. WIDENER.

Says Prince Had to Sign.

"The Prince signed this paper, as there was nothing else for him to do, since his pictures in London would soon be forfeited, and on the strength of his arrangement with Mr. Widener he had already spent part of the money."

Mr. Buckner compared Mr. Widener to a pawnbroker, saying that he had driven a hard bargain and provided for 40 per cent. profit in the contract. He said that Mr. Widener prescribed interest at 8 per cent. instead of the legal rate of 6 per cent., which, together with the increase in the exchange on pounds sterling, gave Mr. Widener a profit of $150,000 in twenty-nine months.

"The courts have held in many cases," he said, "that when a man sells an automobile with the privilege of buying it back in six months, say, it is a mortgage and not a sale, and that all conditions attached to the transaction are swept aside by the primary fact that it is a mortgage. The privilege of buying back in such cases, the courts have decided, is not an option, but part of the mortgage.

"Mr. Widener's attorneys say that even if the Prince did have a half million dollars of his own he could not redeem his pictures unless he could show that the 'terrible conditions in Russia have readjusted themselves' in accordance with the contract. As the contract expires on Dec. 31, they say, in other words, that the Prince cannot get his pictures back unless the Czarist régime is re-established within three weeks.

"Contracts like this have frequently been before the courts, and the courts have crushed them with an armored tank."

Mr. Buckner said that the fourth man to make the Prince an advance on the paintings, thus enabling him to demand their return from Mr. Widener, was "a foreign client of Louis S. Levy of Stonehill & Levy, 120 Broadway."

FLAMMARION PREDICTS TALKING WITH MARS

He Says 'Psychic Waves' Will Be Developed to the Point of Overcoming Space.

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PARIS, Dec. 11.—"Mars is as full of life as the earth," declared Camille Flammarion in an interview today. "We do not see the inhabitants, but we can observe the upheavals on the surfaces and must deduce cause from effect," he said, adding:

"It is no colder on the mysterious planet than here; as on earth there are oxygen, hydrogen and azote. Living beings and plants must be very different from those on earth. Lighter than the people down here they no doubt also are happier because they grow old less rapidly."

M. Flammarion denies reports circulated that he will go to Chile next year to observe Mars when that planet reaches the point nearest the earth. He has made arrangements to receive reports of observations from various parts of the world on Aug. 22, when the phenomenon occurs.

The distance between the earth and the planet will then be "only" 35,000,000 miles, a figure which sounds stupendous to the layman, but which, according to M. Flammarion, "is marvelously small for astronomers."

The great savant expresses the firm conviction that the day will come when the earth will establish communication with Mars.

"Rest assured, we shall some day correspond with the inhabitants of Mars," he says, "not with flying machines but with psychic waves in which I firmly believe. Telepathy will overcome space."

PARIS POLICE BATTLE 1,000 OF THE FORCE

Republican Guards Finally Disperse Officers Marching on Chamber With Relief Plea.

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PARIS, Dec. 11. — Although demonstrating for the very cause for which they voted only a fortnight ago at a general mass meeting, Paris policemen this afternoon attacked a thousand of their brethren who were parading in mufti and dispersed them by effective use of their clubs.

Due to the increase in the cost of living, nine-tenths of the Paris police recently voted to demands that the indemnity be raised from 720 francs to 1,800. A meeting for police off duty was called for this afternoon at 2 Quai de Gesvres. The place was not large enough to hold the crowd and they adjourned to Place de l'Hotel de Ville. They had no sooner congregated in this place than suddenly uniformed police swooped down upon them and drove them into the surrounding streets.

Reassembling at Quai de Gesvres, the protesting police decided to march into the Chamber of Deputies, but again their plans were interfered with by their comrades, who were wholly in sympathy with them. This time they had to contend with the Republican Guards. These protectors of the Government's tranquility dismounted from their horses because of the sleety pavements, and a battle ensued.

Eight of the manifesting policemen were arrested during the mêlée, in which a number of police on each side were beaten. Only one of the arrested men was held and he was charged with a specific crime. Director Guichard of the Judiciary Police was badly hurt when he tried to act as peacemaker.

DUEL IS PUT UP TO JURY.

M. Painleve One of Those Chosen to Decide on Herriot-Aymard Quarrel.

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PARIS, Dec. 11.—Political France is awaiting with intense interest the decision of a jury of honor chosen to decide whether Edouard Herriot, Communist Mayor and Deputy of Lyons, and Camille Aymard, editor of the newspaper La Liberte, shall kiss and make up or fight a duel.

The affair started over the attacks made by M. Aymard in his newspaper on M. Herriot, who recently returned from a tour of America, which followed a long tour of investigation in Russia. M. Herriot denied M. Aymard's charges, and when the latter repeated them M. Herriot wrote to him, saying that he would take the matter further with any representatives M. Aymard might care to send.

M. Aymard immediately sent to M. Herriot as seconds Deputies Outrey and Maspero. M. Herriot named as his seconds Deputies Varenne and Deladier. The seconds met yesterday at the Chamber of Deputies, but were unable to settle the quarrel. According to custom, a jury of honor was then named, Deputy Painlevé, former Premier, for M. Herriot, and Senator René Besnard for Aymard. These two men will decide whether a duel is necessary to settle the differences.

FRANCE TO HONOR GERBAULT

Voyage Here in 30-Foot Boat Wins a Decoration—Leaves Today.

Alain J. Gerbault, French international tennis star, who crossed the Atlantic last Summer in a thirty-foot sailing boat, will leave New York today on the steamship Paris to be made Chevalier of the Legion of Honor. President Millerand, it is announced, will invest the amateur yachtsman with this decoration, the award being given for the exploit.

M. Gerbault said yesterday that the French Government will provide him with a new thirty-foot vessel of the same type, in which he hopes to create new records by sailing around the world. He intends first to voyage for two years in the South Seas.

M. Gerbault has been a frequent guest at the home of Miss Anne Morgan, 3 Sutton Place, while he has been in New York. Miss Morgan was fascinated by the story of his 142-day struggle against the elements when he sailed from Marseilles to Fort Totten, L. I.

FOG STOPS PARIS TRAFFIC.

French Capital Struggles With Uncommon Darkness.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—Paris awoke today to find itself in the gloom of an unusually thick fog. Lamps were burning all over the city at mid-forenoon and the automobiles were keeping their headlights going. On the river the foghorns of the various craft made a constant din. The combination of fog and thick smoke drifting in heavy waves often gave the illusion that the pall was lifting, but the struggling traffic of the city emerged from one wave in high hope only to plunge into another.

The French police, who seldom have to struggle with fog conditions, made some inefficient endeavors to direct the traffic, which had come almost to a standstill, but finally gave up the attempt in despair. Left to their own devices, the sufferers soon managed to bring about an improvement, the drivers seeming to get along better when left to themselves.

Church Debate Is Postponed.

The first of a series of debates between fundamentalists and modernists, scheduled for next Thursday night, has been postponed until next Tuesday through the illness of the Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church and fundamentalist champion, who is suffering from the grip.

ITALIANS WELCOME STRUGGLE AT POLLS

Fascisti Expect to Clinch Their Hold but Their Opponents Hope for Election Victory.

MUSSOLINI'S PLANS SECRET

But It Is Declared That the King Was Favorable to Extension of the Dictatorship.

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ROME, Dec. 11.—While most Italians consider the present Parliament virtually dead and buried, this view is not shared by some high State officials, as is shown by an utterance from Deputy Acerbo, who in his quality of Under Secretary of State for internal Under Secretary of State for Internal Affairs is in close touch with Premier Mussolini.

"To close the Parliamentary session does not necessarily imply the dissolution of Parliament. If dissolution becomes necessary in the future Signor Mussolini will announce it in due course."

The probability of general elections has been received with obvious pleasure by all parties. The reasons for rejoicing are, however, widely different. The Fascisti are pleased because if they win the elections, as they appear to be certain they will do, they will increase the number of their representatives in the Chamber from thirty-two to 336, or two-thirds of the total number of seats. The opposition parties, on the other hand, are pleased because they believe that the Fascists following in the country is not nearly as large as is generally supposed and that it may suffer defeat. It is, of course, far too early to pass judgment on that point, but all present indications appear to point to the probability of the Fascisti being more correct in their estimate of the situation.

Interest is still keen on various suppositions as to the reasons which induced Mussolini to arrive at his decision to close the Parliamentary session. Officials maintain great reserve on this point, which may be based on lack of knowledge, for Deputy Acerbo, in the interview mentioned, frankly confessed this, saying: "Mussolini has not revealed the fundamental reason for his action to any one."

Meanwhile denials of several rumors have been issued. The most important of these is a denial of reports which have made the rounds of Rome that the King refused to sanction Mussolini's demand to Parliament for an extension of his full powers. The denial sets forth that on the contrary, as Mussolini himself hinted at yesterday's meeting of the Council of Ministers, the King's consent had already been given and a duly signed royal decree to that effect is in the Premier's possession.

The Opposition papers, while expressing gratification at the approaching elections, state that the decision to end the present parliamentary session was taken on account of a fear that dissension within the Fascista party might have had their echo in Parliament and in order that Mussolini in his relations with foreign countries might be truly representative of the will of the Italian people instead of the leader of a revolutionary movement.

The governmental papers ascribe the decision entirely to Mussolini's desire to have the opinion of the country on his work and to govern the country with the help of a Parliament which shall be an expression of Italy's changed mentality.

If elections are held they must take place according to the present electoral law, not earlier than seventy days after the dissolution of Parliament, and the new Parliament must hold its first sitting not later than four months after the dissolution of the old one. As according to the Constitution Parliament must sit before June 30 to approve the budget, the present Parliament will probably be dissolved at the beginning of January and the elections will be held some time in March or April.

Gov. Preus Denies He Will Resign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Governor J. A. O. Preus of Minnesota denied today the report that he would resign as Governor to enter private business. He said he had no intention of leaving Minnesota until he completed his term, but after that his plans were somewhat indefinite.

BALDWIN CABINET DECIDES TO STICK

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it has the Government program before it and realizes that the fall of Baldwin will mean the rise of Macdonald.

So the Government, it is expected, will tread warily in writing the King's speech. It will probably lay stress on the urgent need of adopting measures to stay unemployment and will strongly recommend legislation to put in force the agreements with Dominions arrived at in the Imperial conference. It will make as good a showing as it can of social reforms, such as the amendment of the present insurance and old age pensions schemes, and it will propose measures for the reform of the electrical system to avoid the anomaly of many members sitting by virtue of a minority vote. In fact, its program will be as nearly non-contentious as it is possible to make it.

What will happen after it has been laid before the House will depend a good deal upon the Parliamentary attitude of the Labor Party. The Laborites can easily frame a vote of censure in such language that it will be difficult for the Liberals to refuse to support it, but they will have to be careful to avoid the odium of purely factious opposition at a time of grave difficulty. The problem of unemployment is none the less pressing because one proposed solution has been rejected, and if the Government comes forward with a new scheme which would provide work immediately for a number of men, it will do little good to the labor Party to hold it up by destroying the Ministry.

Tariff Reform Not Dropped.

Meanwhile, the Government is likely to go on with its investigations of the possibility of tariff reform. The committee under Lord Milner has made good progress in its examination of industrial conditions, and it is hoped that it will be ready to report while the Baldwin Government is still in being. The Conservatives feel that one cause of their failure at the polls was the indefiniteness of their program, and that, while the Premier's request for "a blank check" has been refused, it is not completely clear that the country would reject specific tariff proposals. The question of protection has been raised, and it is necessary now to go on to explore it thoroughly.

The Government's decision is, of course, proving a sore trial to the Labor Party. It has been indulging in rosette dreams of what it would be doing in a few weeks and has put forward a good many highly interesting but quite unofficial Cabinet slates.

The Star tonight says that "the probable selections, gleaned from a high source, for the first Labor Cabinet" include as Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary, J. Ramsay Macdonald; as Lord Chancellor, Lord Haldane; as Lord Privy Seal and leader of the House of Commons, J. R. Clynes; as Chancellor of the Exchequer, Philip Snowden; as Home Secretary, Arthur Henderson; as Colonial Secretary, Sidney Webb; as First Lord of the Admiralty, Colonel Josiah Wedgwood; as Secretary for War, J. H. Thomas; of Education, Miss Jewson or Arthur Greenwood, and as Minister of Health, Miss Margaret Bonfield or Miss Susan Lawrence.

It is noticeable that it seems to be accepted in Labor circles that at least one seat in the Cabinet would be given to a woman, and that the intelligentsia of the party are in the main passed over. The suggested appointment in the Labor Ministry of Lord Haldane, who was once Secretary of War in the Asquith Cabinet, is interesting. He has been out of politics ever since the war began, but is said to have been leaning more and more to Labor ideas. As for Labor's "blackcoated" recruits, they are likely be crowded out by trade union leaders who have borne the heat and burden of the day.

Asquith Calls on Baldwin.

LONDON, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—An event which British politicians regard as of the greatest importance occurred this afternoon. Ex-Premier Asquith, who is the leader of the reunited Liberal Party and for the time being holds his leadership beyond dispute—because the Asquith wing of the Liberal Party was far more successful in the elections than Lloyd George's followers—spent a half hour in conference with Premier Baldwin.

Every one recalled instantly the parallel event at the beginning of the war, when the Conservative leaders spontaneously pledged the support of their party to Mr. Asquith. It is believed Mr. Asquith's mission to Downing Street was to tender on behalf of the Liberals a sympathetic policy toward the Conservative Government, but of course on conditions. The support certainly will go so far as to assist the Conservatives in passing the appropriation bills to carry on the Government, which is the most necessary work before the Parliament. Whether they will go further is a question.

Truculent Communist Manifesto.

The Executive Committee of the British Communist Party has issued a statement which, The Daily Express says, contains the following:

"The Communist Party feels justified in adopting any methods to fight the reactionary and capitalist forces. Just as the Labor candidates in the past have been victimized, so have we, and now that we have the organization and the means we are determined to adopt any methods of fighting. As the revolutionary party, we must adopt revolutionary tactics."

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FRENCH MOVE AGAIN ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Chamber Revives Issue Defeated by the Senate in 1919—Poincare's Stand Unknown.

AMERICAN ACTION PRAISED

A Proposal to Give Plural Votes to Fathers of Families Is Shelved.

PARIS, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—The fight for woman suffrage in France was renewed in the French Parliament today, when a bill drawn up by Justin Godard, a former Minister in the Clemenceau Cabinet, and signed by eighty-three other Deputies, ranging from the most conservative groups to the Socialists, was introduced for consideration by the Chamber of Deputies.

The general discussion was immediately switched to the question of a family vote by representation, Deputy Roulleaux-Dugage having sponsored an amendment extending the franchise so that fathers of families should have as many votes as they had children under age.

The Chamber, while refusing to take a stand on this particular point, accepted the principle of woman suffrage when by a vote of 440 to 135 it referred M. Roulleaux-Dugage's amendment to a committee, with the request that such parts of it as referred to the vote for women be incorporated in the general bill.

The measure provides that "the laws and regulations governing the franchise and eligibility to vote shall apply to women over twenty-five years of age."

The sentiment in the Chamber in favor of woman suffrage which was expressed in May, 1919, was again prominent throughout the debate, and while Premier Poincaré thus far has refrained from taking a stand on the question it is regarded as certain, unless the Premier chooses to assume the responsibility of opposing it by a question of confidence, that the bill will be passed again by the lower house before recess.

The report on the bill prepared by Joseph Barthelemy, in behalf of the Universal Suffrage Commission, asking the Chamber's unanimous approval of the measure, cites the amendment to the American Constitution granting women the right to vote. It says:

"The most important event which has occurred in the world to strengthen the vote of the French Chamber in 1919, giving to women the right to vote, took place in 1920, when woman's right to the suffrage became an integral part of the Constitution of the greatest democracy in the world, the United States."

Comparing American methods with those of France, the report continues:

"The thirty-sixth State necessary for amendment of the American Constitution was Tennessee, which ratified its full powers. The denial sets forth that on the contrary, as Mussolini himself hinted at yesterday's meeting of the Council of Ministers, the King's consent had already been given and a duly signed royal decree to that effect is in the Premier's possession.

"The Opposition papers, while expressing gratification at the approaching elections, state that the decision to end the present parliamentary session was taken on account of a fear that dissension within the Fascista party might have had their echo in Parliament and in order that Mussolini in his relations with foreign countries might be truly representative of the will of the Italian people instead of the leader of a revolutionary movement.

"The governmental papers ascribe the decision entirely to Mussolini's desire to have the opinion of the country on his work and to govern the country with the help of a Parliament which shall be an expression of Italy's changed mentality.

"If elections are held they must take place according to the present electoral law, not earlier than seventy days after the dissolution of Parliament, and the new Parliament must hold its first sitting not later than four months after the dissolution of the old one. As according to the Constitution Parliament must sit before June 30 to approve the budget, the present Parliament will probably be dissolved at the beginning of January and the elections will be held some time in March or April.

Gov. Preus Denies He Will Resign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Governor J. A. O. Preus of Minnesota denied today the report that he would resign as Governor to enter private business. He said he had no intention of leaving Minnesota until he completed his term, but after that his plans were somewhat indefinite.

JAPANESE DIET MEETS.

Prince Regent Expresses Pleasure at Nation's Unity in Disaster.

TOKIO, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—Facing many important problems, including that of reconstruction and finance, the Japanese Diet convened in extraordinary session here this morning.

The Prince Regent, dressed in the uniform of a Lieutenant Colonel of the Imperial Japanese Army, addressed the Diet, expressing pleasure in the unity of the people of Japan during the recent catastrophe.

"We have been profoundly impressed with the sincere sympathy shown by the friendly powers of the world," he declared.

LADY ASTOR SCOLDS CONSERVATIVE PARTY

She Says That Its Opposition to Social Reforms Alienated the Women Voters.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—In a letter to The London Times Lady Astor says she is inclined to agree with the opinion of Lord Younger that the women voters were mainly responsible for "the downfall of the Conservative Party," but she believes they were not entirely influenced by the "dear food" cry.

Lady Astor expresses herself as being shocked by the attitude of hostility of many Conservatives in Parliament to welfare proposals affecting women. She accuses the Conservative Party of being the only party which opposes the leaders of all Christian churches on the drink problem, and she proceeds:

"In Parliament the main attack on bills to keep juveniles out of public criminal assault, or to give women equal rights of guardianship over their children, or to appoint women police, &c., has come from Conservative M. P.'s—unsupported, it is true, by their leaders, but also unchecked and unreproved by them.

"These considerations may not appear to figure very decisively in an election campaign, but they turn thousands of progressive women into active Liberal and Labor workers and make hundreds of thousands of plain, honest women voters feel that the Conservative Party is the party of reaction and the houses, or to protect young girls from other parties the parties of progress."

BOYS SET FIRE TO SCHOOL.

Court Orders Four Held With Another Who Caused Church Blaze.

Five boys, ranging in age from 12 to 15, were arraigned yesterday in the Children's Court in Brooklyn before Justice Robert J. Wilkin, charged with juvenile delinquency. Four were charged with having set fire to Public School 32, at Hoyt and President Streets, while the fifth was accused of having applied a lighted match to the floor of the Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Name, Ninth and Prospect Avenues. The five were committed in the care of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for a further hearing.

Giacomo Albeno, 15, 473 President Street; Luciano Visconti, 13, 573 Union Street; Libretto Mangielo, 14, 476 President Street, and Carmine Russo, 14, of President Street, admitted, according to Detective John McTiernan, that they set fire to the school, where the first three are pupils. Charges of truancy are pending against Albeno and Mogielo.

Joseph uigg, 12, of 487 Seventeenth Street, was charged with firing the church. He was expelled recently from the parochial school conducted in connection with it.

"Something made me do it," the boy said to a deputy fire marshal when questioned. "I don't know what. I'm sorry."

The fire in the church, discovered by a parishioner, was extinguished. The damage was slight. The damage at Public School 32 was estimated at $1,000.

Sale for Infantorium.

A rummage sale for the benefit of the Infantorium, 509 East Seventy-seventh Street, will be held at the Hotel Alamac, Broadway and Seventy-first Street, for three days, beginning today. The sale will be under the direction of Mrs. Joseph Paterno and Mrs. Herman Metz. The Infantorium, which was established during the war to care for undernourished infants and those who had lost one or both parents, will remove this month to the Heckscher Foundation for Children at Fifth Avenue and 104th Street, where three rooms have been donated by August Heckscher for the Infantorium.

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time, and if it were the brevity of the period at my command would not permit a discussion of the things that evidence what this country has already done. It has helped, and it will continue to help.

"It ought not be compelled to kick down the front door of Europe in order to get the opportunity to help, however. And this country will continue unbroken upon its course of helping, but insisting all the time that it now and always shall be the judge of whom it will help and how it will help, and when it will stop helping. That is our business.

"And we are not going to turn that over to any other power on this earth. And it is not the business of the United States to furnish a policeman and a meal ticket for everybody and everything in Europe and Asia. We have some problems of our own that we are going to settle.

"So far as I am personally concerned, if, as an instrument of adjustment of difficulties that we of our own right may choose to assign to it for adjustment, a court of the nations can be worked out disassociated from and disentangled from and independent of the League of Nations, I will support such a court, but I will not, as a Republican, support any court that ties us up with the League of Nations. That is my attitude.

"Another thing might just as well be understood: So long as the Republicans are in control of the Government the debt owing to this country by foreign Governments will not to the extent of a single penny be canceled. That is a fair debt."

Cities Present Their Claims.

Following the presentation of the report of the committee considering the city for holding the national convention, speakers were heard in favor of Cleveland, Des Moines and San Francisco. The arguments were brief because the representatives for the different cities admitted that the convention would go to Cleveland because of the wishes of President Coolidge, and the high hotel prices that had been expected in Chicago.

Fred W. Upham, Treasurer of the committee, who had received the support of thirty-seven committeemen for Chicago until the developments last week, made a brief speech which showed how the wind was blowing.

"I came here with a beautiful picture last Saturday entitled 'Sunrise,'" he said. "I saw two gentlemen from Boston who said to me that I did not know much about art. These cultured gentlemen said 'Turn the picture on the other side.' They said then, 'It is perfectly clear to us that it is a sunset.' In the face of the superior culture of Boston I could do nothing but withdraw. This I do with good grace, and I thank the committee for having sent five conventions to our city."

Representative Theodore Burton of Ohio, speaking for Cleveland, said that Ohio had no candidate this time and that the city by the shore would be "neutral ground." He said there were 17,500 bedrooms in the hotels there, and a convention hall seating 12,500 people. Furthermore, under the Ohio laws, the normal food and room prices must prevail. "There will be no overcharging," he declared. Cleveland, Mr. Burton said, would give $125,000 to the Republican National Committee for the expenses of the convention.

The committee will vote tomorrow on the place for holding the convention. It is conceded that it will go to Cleveland, and will be held on June 10.

Then for two hours representatives of the negroes and Harmon L. Remmell, National Committeeman from Arkansas, spoke against the rule adopted by the National Committee which reduces the delegates from the Southern States and permits a delegate for every 2,500 votes in the South. Those opposing the rule said that it should be on the basis of Members of Congress. The committee patiently heard the opposition although it has no power to change the rule since it was passed by the last convention.

The delegates were the guests of Chairman Adams at a dinner tonight. Speeches were made by Senator Pepper, Mr. Remmell and Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, Vice Chairman of the executive committee.

Reparation Stand Welcomed.

After the morning session, President Coolidge's announcement of the new reparation help was received by the committeeman as forecasting the settlement of the long dispute in Europe and indicating the consequent buying of foodstuffs in America. Politicans saw in the move an important part that this country will play in aiding Europe to rise from industrial and financial despondency. They welcomed the proposal chiefly because of the effect it will have on America in stimulating exports.

There was little interest in the afternoon session of the committee, for knots of State leaders devoted themselves chiefly to discussing the significance of the White House announcement. Nevertheless the managers for the two leading aspirants for President were busy looking after their respective interests. William M. Butler, National Committeeman from Massachusetts, who will lead the Coolidge campaign, sat among the committeemen; Frank H. Hitchcock, Johnson's manager, was among the auditors when he was not in the rear of the room talking to politicians.

Headed by Charles D. Hilles, national committeeman from New York, Mrs. Charles H. Sabin, associate member of the national committee, and Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, member of the executive committee of the national committee, the New York representatives have an important part in the party deliberations.

Mrs. Sabin said:

"There will be no such thing as an apathetic woman's vote in the 1924 campaign. Every Republican woman will put her shoulder to the wheel and carry the State for the Republican Party. In the coming Presidential campaign a house-to-house campaign will be conducted to bring the real issues of the campaign to every home, to cities and to the most remote farmhouses."

Miss Sarah Schuyler Butler, Vice Chairman of the Republican State Committee, and Lafayette B. Gleason are among the New Yorkers at the gathering.

Mrs. A. L. Livermore of New York, the only woman speaker at the morning session, appealed for greater responsibility in party management. She said:

"We are glad to be here to congratulate the men on extending greater opportunities to women in the party of their choice. We know under what party this nation has reached its prosperity, has established its sound finances and has forwarded education. It is the spirit of co-operation, not the letter, that gives us the equal opportunities for which we are looking. We want equal representation on the national committee to better serve the party. Equal responsibility means equal participation.

"We women understand the psychology of the women of today. The men trust us to tell them what women in the party desire and what women outside the party want. No political party can afford to alienate women who have not been educated up to party loyalty. Responsibility in the party makes for party loyalty. A humble two-spot in sequence is worth more than a queen in the discard."

LOWDEN SEES COOLIDGE.

He Says He Has Sanctioned No Personal Boom for President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, who was one of the "Big Three" candidates for the Presidential nomination in 1920, called at the White House today and talked with President Coolidge. In reply to questions afterward he said that no activities designed to bring forward his name as a candidate next year were being engaged in with his sanction.

Mr. Lowden described his call on the President as "a visit of respect" made in the course of a trip to Washington for another purpose. He took occasion to say that Mr. Coolidge's message to Congress had been received very favorably both in the Middle West and in the East.

"Even prior to the President's message," he added, "there was a very kindly feeling for him in Illinois."

Asked if he planned to engage in the pre-convention campaign in any manner, Mr. Lowden answered:

"I hadn't intended to do so."

MOVE ON CLEVELAND STARTS.

Hotels IAI Swamped by Demands—Candidates' Agents Arrive.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 11.—While a delegation of Cleveland political and civic leaders was in Washington today to clinch the 1924 Republican national convention for Cleveland, the vanguard of the hosts, who every four years are attracted by such an event, began arriving here.

These included representatives of various Presidential candidates and State Republican committees, and of the telephone and telegraph companies which must greatly expand their local facilities.

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COUNSEL BADGERS CHURCHILL IN COURT

Questions Asked in Douglas Libel Case Cover Much of the Ex-Minister's Career.

HE DEFENDS WAR RECORD

And Promises His Examiner to Cut Down the Number of "I's" in Next Edition of His Book.

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—Winston Churchill was subjected at the Old Bailey today to an extraordinary cross-examination. He had been called as a witness in the suit for libel which he had brought against Lord Alfred Douglas for having alleged that Mr. Churchill had conspired with the late Sir Ernest Cassel to issue a false communiqué concerning the battle of Jutland in order to depress the stock market.

Mr. Churchill had been called merely to deny the authorship of the communiqué and having made any money at that time by stock speculation, but Mr. Justice Avery permitted Cecil Hayes, counsel for the defense, to roam in his cross-examination over a large portion of Mr. Churchill's career.

Mr. Hayes called his attention to a recent editorial in The Morning Post, in which it was declared: "'He is mentally incapable of realizing the truth or anything like it.' Did the witness intend to prosecute The Post for libel?" counsel asked.

"There is always a lot of abuse flung about at election time," replied Mr. Churchill. "I shall have to consult my lawyer about it."

Counsel kept pressing for an answer, and at last Mr. Churchill appealed to the Court for protection, and the Judge stopped further questioning on the point.

Counsel turned to Mr. Churchill's relations with Sir Ernest Cassel, and particularly to a roomful of furniture Sir Ernest had given him.

"Was the furniture inside the door?" demanded counsel.

"Yes, inside and right round the room," Mr. Churchill answered. "That is a very important point."

Sir Ernest, though German-born, was trusted by all the Cabinet, said the witness, and counsel remarked:

"You and the Cabinet trusted another German and made him a Privy Councillor—Sir Edgar Speyer."

"I believe that is true."

"He was afterward found to be a German spy and stripped of his honors."

"No; he was found to have acted in an improper way and was deprived of his honors very properly."

Counsel turned to the proposal made by Mr. Churchill to Germany in 1912 for a naval holiday and to the visit of Sir Ernest in company with Lord Haldane to Berlin a year or two before the war.

"Nothing came of that visit?" asked counsel.

"You are wrong; there was a much better understanding between the British and German Governments right up to the outbreak of the war."

"You did not know Germany was preparing for war?"

"I was working with feverish haste night and day to prepare the fleet. I knew the Germans were arming very rapidly."

"And you thought it a wise thing to send out a German?"

"It is a wise thing both to make yourself ready and at the same time to smooth animosity between nations; that is what we did down to the last moment."

Mr. Churchill denied that he had allowed the German Emperor to humble him at the Kiel regatta in June, 1914. Germany was not expecting war then; the murder of Archduke Ferdinand had not yet happened.

"We do not know the cause of that murder," said counsel.

"I may tell you I had nothing to do with it," replied the witness amid laughter.

Counsel next attacked Mr. Churchill for his part in the Antwerp and Dardanelles operations, and particularly for his description of the latter as "a legitimate gamble." The ex-Minister replied that the words were Colonel Repington's and not his and said he had referred to a gamble in ships, not in the lives of men.

Counsel passed to Mr. Churchill's book, "The World's Crisis," and asked:

"Now about your egotism; have you counted the numbers of I's in those two volumes? In fifteen lines there are thirteen and in ten lines ten."

"I will try to cut them down in the next edition," replied the witness.

He defended himself against the charge of having betrayed official secrets by publishing official documents in his work by citing similar conduct by Lords French, Fisher and Jellicoe.

Pressed as to how much he had made from his work, he said it was £15,000. Counsel produced a copy of The Daily Mail of June 5, 1916, and Mr. Churchill said he thought he had read the attack upon him which it contained.

"You made friends with them afterward," said counsel. "Didn't you send and ask Lord Northcliffe to stop attacking you?"

"I don't remember."

"Didn't you ask Randall Charlton to go to Northcliffe for you?"

"I don't remember."

Here the judge intervened, declaring it was useless to produce newspapers which might have libelled Mr. Churchill merely to prove that he had taken no proceedings against them.

Mr. Churchill could not remember if Captain Spencer had said to him that the Jutland business was a pretty trick.

"Did you say," asked counsel, "what does it matter to you, anyhow? We got money out of the Yanks?"

"I am sure I never said anything of the sort," replied Mr. Churchill indignantly.

"Captain Spencer will be here and can be cross-examined," counsel remarked.

Vice Admiral Sir Henry Oliver and Sir James Mayerton Smith also testified, denying that Mr. Churchill had had anything to do with drafting the Jutland communiqué.

ARMENIAN ORPHANS PLEAD.

22,000 Sign Christmas "Card" to America Asking for Continued Help.

The Near East Relief yesterday issued the following statement:

"Twenty-one thousand orphan children in the American orphanages of the Russian Caucasus today completed the signing of the biggest Christmas card that has ever been put into the Russian mails. The 'card' includes 235 sheets, each sheet containing nearly a hundred names.

"The card is addressed to the whole American public and will be delivered to President Coolidge through the Washington office of the Near East Relief. At the top of each page is the 'Message of Greeting,' which says:

"'We, the children of the American orphanages in the Russian Caucasus, send Christmas greetings to our friends in America and ask that the loving and charitable generosity of America be continued yet a little longer. During the past two years 5,000 children have been released from these orphanages and are now adopted into normal homes. The process is continuing, as Armenia progresses in her heroic and successful struggle toward self-sustenance. We are leaning on you a little less heavily, but if the American orphanage work cease now, the majority of us children would be doomed and a staggering economic blow would be administered to the whole Armenian people.'"

DEPRIVE KAISER OF TITLE.

Prussian Decree Designates Wilhelm as "Prince of Prussia."

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—The postulate that "once a Kaiser always a Kaiser," which William Hohenzollern's friends never tire of emphasizing, although he is a Kaiser without a country, has been finally disposed of by a Prussian Ministerial decree which gives William the designation of "Prince of Prussia," on the ground that he was that when he was born. The title is the same for the ex-Crown Prince.

The Zeitung am Mittag fails to see why the title of "Prince" should be retained if the Kaiser and the Crown Prince are taboo, and why the mere family name of Hohenzollern is not good enough. It is pointed out that the ex-Kaiser's namesake, William II. of Württemberg, voluntarily divested himself of the title of King after the 1918 revolution and adopted the designation Duke of Württemberg.

LAW COMMISSION MEETS.

Will Study Defects and Recommend Changes in State Statutes.

The commission appointed by Governor Smith to investigate defects in the laws of New York State held its first meeting yesterday at the Bar Association. The Chairman appointed a Committee on Plan and Scope, a Committee on Rules and a Committee on Permanent Organization. The commission is required to make a report of its proceedings and recommendations before March 15.

The commission consists of ex-Senator John Godfrey Saxe, Chairman; Chief Judge Frank H. Hiscock and Judge Benjamin N. Cardozo of the Court of Appeals; Presiding Justices Kelly and Hubbs of the Second and Fourth Departments; Judge Thomas C. T. Crain of the Court of General Sessions; Lyman A. Spalding, Alfred Frankenthaler, Anna M. Cross, Milton S. Gibbs, Harvey D. Hinman and Charles B. Hill.

The purpose of the commission is to examine the statutes and judicial decisions of the State of New York, to investigate any defects the commission may find in the present law and in its administration, and to recommend such changes as are necessary, to modify or eliminate antiquated and inequitable rules of law and methods of administration, to remove anachronisms in the law, and generally to bring the law of New York State, civil and criminal, into harmony with modern conditions.

GERMANY TO HAVE OWN RHINE BANK

French Project for Private Issue Institution Forestalled by Surprise Arrangement.

NEW CURRENCY AT ONCE

Bill Backed by Gold and Worth American Dollar to Be Put Out by Landsbank.

DUESSELDORF, Germany, Dec. 11 (Associated Press)—Paper currency in the occupied areas of Germany is to be replaced shortly, probably before the Christmastide, by a new currency backed by gold. The new bill will be of 4 marks 20 pfennigs, or the value of the American dollar.

Instead of being financed by private concerns it is planned that issue will be made by the Landsbank of the Rhine Province, aided by the German Government. This arrangement came as a complete surprise, as it had been intended to establish a Rhenish issue bank at Cologne, financed by German, Belgian, French, Dutch and Swiss private capital.

Negotiations have been in progress for some weeks between representatives of the Berlin Government and an organization known as the Union of Municipalities and Communes in the occupied territory with the purpose of putting out the new issue. The originators of the new system have expressly avoided use of the term "Rhenish mark" in connection with the new issue or anything suggesting separation from the Reich Government. It therefore will be known as the "gold mark."

The Berlin authorities are understood to have been anxious to launch the new system so as to avoid having to show their hand against the proposed private bank of issue, at which the Berlin Government looked with suspicion, believing the big industrialists behind it were seeking "to fish in troubled waters" and thus deliberately or unwittingly promote a tendency toward the Rhineland separation.

In order to forestall possible hoarding of the new money the plans provide that from the time it first makes its appearance all taxes and all money transactions with the public authorities must be in the new currency.

RHINELAND COUNCIL HOLD FIRST MEETING

Through Rail Traffic to Unoccupied Germany Resumed After Many Months.

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COLOGNE, Dec. 11.—The first meeting of the Rhineland Committee of Sixty was held in Cologne today. This committee was appointed as an organ through which the views of all sections of the Rhineland population might be expressed and the situation created by the French separation tactics explained.

The German Government has so far refused to grant any political competence to it, so it will probably remain more or less of a debating society. It is mainly political in its composition, all the political parties from the German Nationalists to the Communists being represented. It also includes representatives of the Ruhr industries, such as Herren Stinnes, Klockner, Vogler and Krupp von Bohlen.

All the members were present at today's meeting. The proceedings were confidential.

The Mayence railway agreement came into force yesterday and through traffic from the occupied territories into unoccupied Germany has accordingly been taken up again. Today, for instance, trains from Paris are running through to Frankfort. For months the last five miles of the journey have had to be completed by trolley.

Baritone Sings Russian Airs.

Bernardo Olshansky, a baritone of vigorous style, who has before appeared here, sang at the Town Hall last evening, assisted by Walter Golde at the piano. He included in a group from Russian composers Mr. Challapin's version of the "Volga Boatmen" chant, and in a French group, Debussy's air from "L'Enfant Prodigue." The program ranged from old Italian airs to Dvorak's gypsy songs and "The Tide," by Charles Byars Welkel.

ROBBERY SUSPECT CAPTURED ASLEEP

Policemen of Fort Lee Descend Upon a House and Arrest Man in Bed.

Policemen of Fort Lee, N. J., staged early yesterday morning a capture of a man wanted in New York that was almost as dramatic as the seizure across the river a few days ago of John Farini, accused of being one of the gunmen in the Brooklyn bank murder. A report spread that the man seized also was wanted in that case, but it was said that instead he was being hunted for particulars in a hold-up in Brooklyn on Dec. 2. He is James Spinelli of 282 Twentieth Street, Brooklyn.

Advised through some underground channel that Spinelli was in a house at 1,585 Palisade Avenue, Lieutenant Otis and three policemen secretly made their way thither late on Monday night. They surrounded the house and under cover of darkness managed to keep the occupants under surveillance. When they were satisfied that those within were sleeping, the policemen broke into the place without arousing the occupants.

Spinelli was asleep in a bedroom. He awakened suddenly and sat up to peer into the faces of four policemen, standing over him, each heavily armed.

Spinelli was astonished at being caught, since he had been in the house for several days, had not ventured out, and believed his whereabouts unknown. He offered no resistance, but dressed and accompanied the policemen to the station house.

Brooklyn detectives said they recognized Spinelli and that he admitted his identity. They said he was wanted for an assault and robbery on Dec. 2, when Charles Borgh of 152 Twenty-fourth Street, Brooklyn, was held up at Fifth Avenue and Twenty-fifth Street, Brooklyn, by five men, one of whom pointed a pistol at him and demanded $160.

The detectives said that Spinelli was sentenced in September, 1920, by Justice Cropsey in Brooklyn to three to eight years for robbery, but was released from Sing Sing for good behavior.

BRYAN DINNER CALLED OFF.

Testimonial Canceled Because of "Conflicting Dates."

Several hundred friends of William Jennings Bryan, who expected to attend a testimonial dinner to him at the Hotel Commodore last night, learned with surprise yesterday that the dinner had been abandoned and the special committee on arrangements disbanded. "Conflicting dates" was given by George Gordon Battle, Chairman of the committee, as the reason for canceling the dinner.

"As far as I am aware," said Mr. Battle, "there was no politics in this affair. The dinner was contemplated merely as a personal tribute to Mr. Bryan by his many friends in this city. The first date fixed for the dinner was Dec. 11, as you may recall. Then it was moved forward to Jan. 18. Some suggested that we call a meeting which Mr. Bryan could address as substitute for the dinner. Finally, owing to conflicting dates, it was decided to abandon the dinner."

CHARLES F. MURPHY HOME.

Tammany Leader, Back From French Lick, to Be at Wigwam Today.

After an absence of a month, Tammany Leader Charles F. Murphy returned to this city late Monday night from French Lick Springs, Ind., where he had been talking politics and taking the waters. Mrs. Murphy who had joined him at the Indiana health resort returned with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy immediately upon their arrival proceeded to the Murphy summer home at Good Ground, L. I. Many district leaders who came to the Wigwam in Fourteenth Street expecting to see the Tammany chieftain yesterday were disappointed at not finding him at his desk. They were informed that he would be on hand today to receive callers.

Composer Commemorates Harding.

John Louw Nelson appeared as baritone singer pianist and composer in a concert of his own music yesterday afternoon at the Town Hall. Dreda Aves, mezzo-soprano, assisted in both a duet and an air of wide range from an operatic work, "Jezebel." Mr. Nelson gave in his own words a "Call to America" and a setting of Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar" newly dedicated to the memory of President Harding.

Jews Injured in Budapest Riots.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 11.—Several Jewish students were badly hurt yesterday in a demonstration by their Christian compatriots at the university. The trouble started during the funeral of a soldier who was stabbed to death by a Jewish merchant in the course of a restaurant scuffle last week. As a result of the student fight the authorities threaten to close the university.

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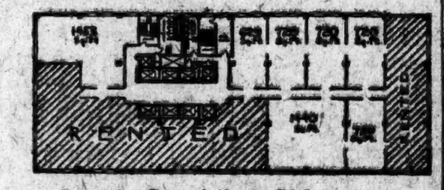

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HUERTISTAS BEGIN GENERAL ADVANCE

Continued from Page 1, Column 6.

States via Vera Cruz was suspended this evening. A report that General Pelaez had been executed at Tampico was unconfirmed.

Francisco Mugica, cooperastista claimant of the Governorship in Michoacan, has been charged with conspiracy and brought to Mexico City, where he was jailed.

The Mexican Consul at New York advised that he had received a communication from de la Huerta declaring the revolution already had triumphed and ordering the Consul to obey orders of the "new Minister of Foreign Affairs."

Federals Move on Western Rebels.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 11.—General Eugenio Martinez, commander of the northern military zone, left Chihuahua today with 500 troops for Zacatecas and Jalisco to engage the de la Huerta revolters, according to a special dispatch to The El Paso Herald. General Martinez's command comprised the greater part of the Fiftieth Regular Battalion, which has been stationed in Chihuahua for some time.

It was also announced that the remaining part of the Fiftieth had been ordered to Ojinaga with several troops of the Twenty-sixth Cavalry in order to be in readiness for any uprising there. General Alfredo Quijano now is commanding the Chihuahua garrison.

The State Militia is concentrating in the city and ammunition is being supplied contingents by the State Government. So far no disturbances have been reported.

Railroad officials in Juarez were advised today there is no traffic between Torreon and Iraguato, Guanajuato, a distance of 783 kilometers, as a result of burned bridges and torn-up rails. Iraguato is 353 kilometers from Mexico City.

Anastacio Hangal G., Juarez fiscal guard commander, said that he had been advised that rail service from Torreon to Mexico City would be resumed Wednesday.

Telegraphic communication with Mexico City direct, which was cut on Saturday when rebels destroyed the railway at Capital, Zacatecas, has been resumed.

Chihuahua City, headquarters of the northern military zone, is alive with troop activity.

The report was brought to Juarez this afternoon by passengers on the train which left the capital of the State early today. Several hours previously they were in Torreon. Coahuila and witnessed the departure of General J. Gonsalo Escobar with 2,000 troops for Zacatecas to engage rebels under General Enrique Estrada.

The revolt throughout the Mexican Republic is causing many Mexican families to leave the interior and northern part of the country, and trains to the border are crowded, railways officials here declared today. Many of the people are returning to homes they have maintained near the border, while those who took refuge on the American side in previous troubles already have wired ahead for accommodations.

Rebels Marching Up Pacific Coast.

NOGALES, Ariz., Dec. 11.—More than 2,000 armed insurgents are marching from Tepic, now in the hands of the rebels, with the intention of penetrating Sinaloa and taking that State and Sonora, according to reports received here tonight.

The invaders are taking control of all towns and cities in the line of march and are moving with rapidity, late advices stated. They are reported to be under the leadership of General M. M. Diegues, Marcario Gaxiola and Rafael Buelna.

The rebelling forces, the advices declare, include the Twenty-fourth Regiment, one of the crack outfits of the Mexican Army, which recently revolted.

Other advices today reported a strengthening of Federal forces on the west coast of Mexico under the command of General Jesus Ferreira, military commander of Sinaloa, and strategic moves by the Government in various parts of the republic to snuff out the rebellion.

Troops are reported mobilizing in the vicinity of Tepic and south of Mazatlan.

General Angel Flores, candidate for the Presidency of the republic, is reported to be in a critical condition at Culiacan, in Sinaloa, suffering from injuries to a leg which he incurred in an automobile accident several months ago.

Consul Deserts With $15,000.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Dec. 11.—J. Alonso Ulloa, Mexican Consul, who left Brownsville yesterday with approximately 15,000 pesos ($15,000) alleged to belong to the Mexican Government, according to close friends of the Consul here today is in Mexican territory and is en route to Vera Cruz.

Ulloa's friends here said that the Consul did not take Mexican customs funds, but took funds belonging to the State of Tamaulipas, which he will deliver to Governor de Lara, now with the forces of Adolfo de la Huerta, Presidential candidate.

REBELS SEEK $250,000 LOAN.

Reports to State Department on Mexican Rising.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Reports to the State Department and an official statement from the Mexican Embassy today continued to indicate energetic activity on the part of the Obregon authorities to suppress the rebellion instigated by Adolfo de la Huerta. The State Department's announcement follows:

"The American Chargé d'Affaires at Mexico City, George T. Summerlin, telegraphed the department on Dec. 10 at noon that the President and his staff left that day to review the troops at Irapuato. The Federal forces evacuated Jalapa on the 9th. At Tomaulipas, Government control has been strengthened. Lara and insurgent State officers fled from Victoria, insurgent rural guard captured. It is believed Lara will establish his headquarters at Matamoros.

"The disaffection in Zacatecas and Aguascalintes is localized in a few cities. The Central Railway is being rapidly repaired from Canitas to Torreon. The Laredo line is still unimpaired. The Liberal Constitutionalist Party has declared for the Government.

"Federal troops against Sanches are concentrating on San Marcos, Puebla. There were disloyal outbreaks at Tepic and Antiaspan, State of Mexico.

"The American Consul at Vera Cruz, John O. Wood, telegraphed the department at 6 P. M., Dec. 10, that General Sanches had begun to advance on Mexico City over the two railroad lines. Steps have been taken by the de facto Government to raise a temporary loan of 500,000 pesos ($250,000) secured by a claim against customs duties on goods in warehouses.

"The American Consul at Frontera, Tabasco, Robert L. Rankin, telegraphed the department at 10 A. M. Dec. 10 that the garrison at Frontera revolted at noon Dec. 9 in favor of de la Huerta. The commanding officer was killed and a number of Bolsheviks were executed. Conditions were quiet.

"The American Consul at San Luis Potosi, Walter F. Boyle, telegraphed the department at 5 P. M. Dec. 10 that General Seldimorel arrives at San Luis Potosi on Dec. 10 accompanied by about 300 mounted men. San Luis Potosi is now a garrison city.

"The American Consul at Nogales, Sonora, Henry G. Addam, telegraphed the department at 2 P. M. Dec. 10 that there was no surface indication of any abnormal which is not affected by the Sonora which is not affected by the revolution. There were no evidence of troop movement. Railway traffic across the border continued as usual. Although telegraphic communication with Mexico City was cut off it was still possible to send wireless messages. Although there are many Huerta and Calles adherents in the State there seemed to be no disposition to take part actively in a revolutionary movement on behalf of either of them. At the time the Consul filed his telegram there seemed to be a consensus of opinion on both sides of the border that Sonora would not be involved, but conditions may change suddenly. It is important what action will be taken by the Yaqui Indians who are strong Huerta partisans, but if the Government can continue to furnish them their rations, it is believed they will keep quiet."

Responding to a telegram from the officers of the Mexican Federation of Labor declaratory of its intention to support the Obregon Government against the de la Huerta revolution, Samuel Gompers, as Chairman of the Pan-American Federation of Labor and who is also President of the American Federation of Labor, immediately conveyed to the Mexican Trades Union officers by telegraph their moral support of the position taken by the Mexican unions in defense of the Obregon Government.

MEXICO RATIFIES TREATIES.

Congress Rushes Action Looking to American Recognition.

Special to The New York Times.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 10 (via Laredo, Texas).—The Mexican Congress, having been convened in extraordinary sessions, both houses this afternoon unanimously ratified the pre-recognition agreement for claims commissions, according to the convention between the United States and Mexico.

Both houses ratified the granting of extraordinary powers to President Obregon to enable him to deal with the situation caused by the rebellion of the De la Huerta followers. The houses appointed a permanent commission of Congress to transact all business until the new Congress of September, 1924, and then adjourned.

Mexico City is peaceful. Except for troops marching to the station, one would not suspect that the peace of the country had been altered.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Officials of the State Department declined to discuss the question whether the new Ambassador to Mexico would be appointed during the present rebellion, pointing out that any discussion would involve passing judgment on the situation. At the Mexican Embassy it was stated that the Obregon Government would proceed to the appointment of an Ambassador regardless of the present revolt, which, it was stated, had no connection with the matter.

At the White House it was said today that the two claims conventions with Mexico had been transmitted to the Senate for ratification. The Mexican Embassy had no confirmation of reports that the Mexican Senate had acted favorably upon these conventions, but attaches said there was no reason to doubt press reports to that effect.

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The New York City, State and private hospitals and charitable institutions have joined together and opened a large store where articles made by the patients are on exhibition and sale at 37 West Fifty-seventh Street, under the auspices of the State Board of Charities, Department of Public Welfare of the City of New York and the State Charities Aid Association. Thirty-one different institutions are participating in the exhibit and offering every conceivable branch of handiwork at cost prices.

The large store, which has been donated by Bainbridge Colby, is divided into three work rooms where the inmates of the institutions carry on their work. Seton Hospital exhibited a model airplane, three feet wide, "guaranteed to rise and fly 100 feet by its own power." The bulk of the offerings were toys, baskets, book-ends, babies' clothes, rugs, embroidery, trousseau sets, metal work, chairs and tables. The first day of the sale, which will close Saturday afternoon, realized $1,250. Among the visitors were:

Mrs. John A. Topping, Dr. Foster Kennedy, Mrs. E. C. Converse, Mrs. John Thacher, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Cosgrove, Commissioner and Mrs. Bird S. Coler, Mrs. Abraham I. Elkus, Mrs. Robert Isaacs, Mrs. Arthur Lehman, Mrs. Edgar Hellman, Dr. C. I. Dana, Miss Bertha Tilney, D. B. Colder, Mrs. Harry J. King, Mrs. Dexter Blagdon, Mrs. H. M. Cobb, Mrs. Alfred Stecher, Mrs. Stanley Isaacs, Mrs. Cornell J. Post, Mrs. C. F. Berry, Mrs. H. L. Galpin, Mrs. Cadwalader Jones and Mrs. E. C. Potter.

CALLS MARQUIS' GIFTS TO COUNTESS TRIFLES

Counsel for Former Mrs. Ferris Thompson Denies Complainant Had Fortune to Spend.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—Hearings were concluded today in the breach of promise suit brought by the Marquis de Ponteves, 54, an officer in the French Army, against the Countess de Beaurepaire, formerly Mrs. Ferris Thompson of New York. The judgment of the Court is now awaited.

The Countess's barrister, Maitre Jallu, explained that she had made the acquaintance of the Marquis de Ponteves in 1913 through a third party, who proposed to arrange a marriage. She had not attached much importance to the proposition, her lawyer said, and was not particularly impressed in favor of the Marquis, but matters drifted along until 1917, when she wrote him as follows:

"I feel no love, but need a protector. I would remain free as I am today if you are willing to consider marriage as an act of comradeship, leaving me every liberty. If you agree to leave me independent you shall be my best friend and our hearts will be united. I will bear you name and lean on you. Don't reply hastily."

Commenting on the letter, M. Jallu said: "These are American ideas on marriage and evidently not ours." The Countess is a native of France.

M. Jallu stated that his client had made the Marquis her private secretary at 20,000 francs a year. Proof was demanded by counsel that the officer had, as he contended, spent 500 000 francs on her. No proof was offered. M. Jallu argued, that such a sum had been spent, or that the Marquis was in a position to spend it. The Marquis was reputed to be penniless in the country where he lived, the barrister continued; his home was an insignificant villa near Cannes, and he once toured the world as a pianist in a jazz band.

As for the presents from the Marquis, about which so much had been said, they had been searched for and found in the garret of the Countess's residence, where they had been relegated as valueless. They were in the court at the disposal of the tribunal.

The Marquis, who is asking 500,000 francs damages, said in his complaint that he had ruined himself by buying jewels for and entertaining his fiancée.

SEEK TO DEPRIVE WOOD OF POWER OVER TAXES

Philippine Senate Passes Bill Taking Away Authority—Anti-Bank Measure Adopted.

MANILA, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—Important discretionary powers of controlling the collection of land taxes would be taken from Governor General Wood under a bill passed by the Senate of the Insular Legislature today. Another measure passed by the Senate would extend to the Insular Government greater authority over foreign banking institutions operating in the Islands. Neither bill has come to a vote in the House.

The taxation bill would transfer from the Executive to the provincial boards in the islands the powers now possessed by the Governor General to postpone at his discretion the payment of land taxes, or penalties for non-payment of such taxes, and to condone the failure to pay the assessments in the event of a great disaster.

The Senate recently passed over General Wood's veto a bill remitting penalties for the non-payment of the land taxes, and the measure was sent to Washington for action by President Coolidge. In his veto message, General Wood declared that he opposed the remission of taxes of any kind, except in cases of great calamities.

The banking bill would prohibit foreign banks, or their agencies operating in the Philippine Islands, from receiving money or stocks on deposit, or on current accounts, unless the banks previously had been incorporated under Philippine laws.

The announced purpose of the measure is to force all foreign banking institutions to incorporate under Insular laws, thus enabling the Insular Government to demand guarantees for the safety of deposits.

MONKEYS ON CHEAPER DIET.

Berlin Zoo Occupants Get Carrots Instead of Bananas.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—Monkeys and baboons at Berlin's big Zoo have been placed on what the Germans refer to as a "passive resistance" diet, which expression became popular when the Ruhr struggle was at its height.

It has been found that cocoanuts, figs, bananas and other tropical fruits and nuts to which monkeys are accustomed in their native haunts are not absolutely necessary for them in captivity. Carrots have replaced bananas and other tropical luxuries, and acorns and chestnuts have taken the place of cocoanuts.

Animal trainers believed formerly that monkeys had to have cocoanut milk, or a certain amount of fresh milk, regularly, but war emergencies and their after effects have shown that monkeys get along very well without this luxury too, and will thrive on evaporated or condensed milk.

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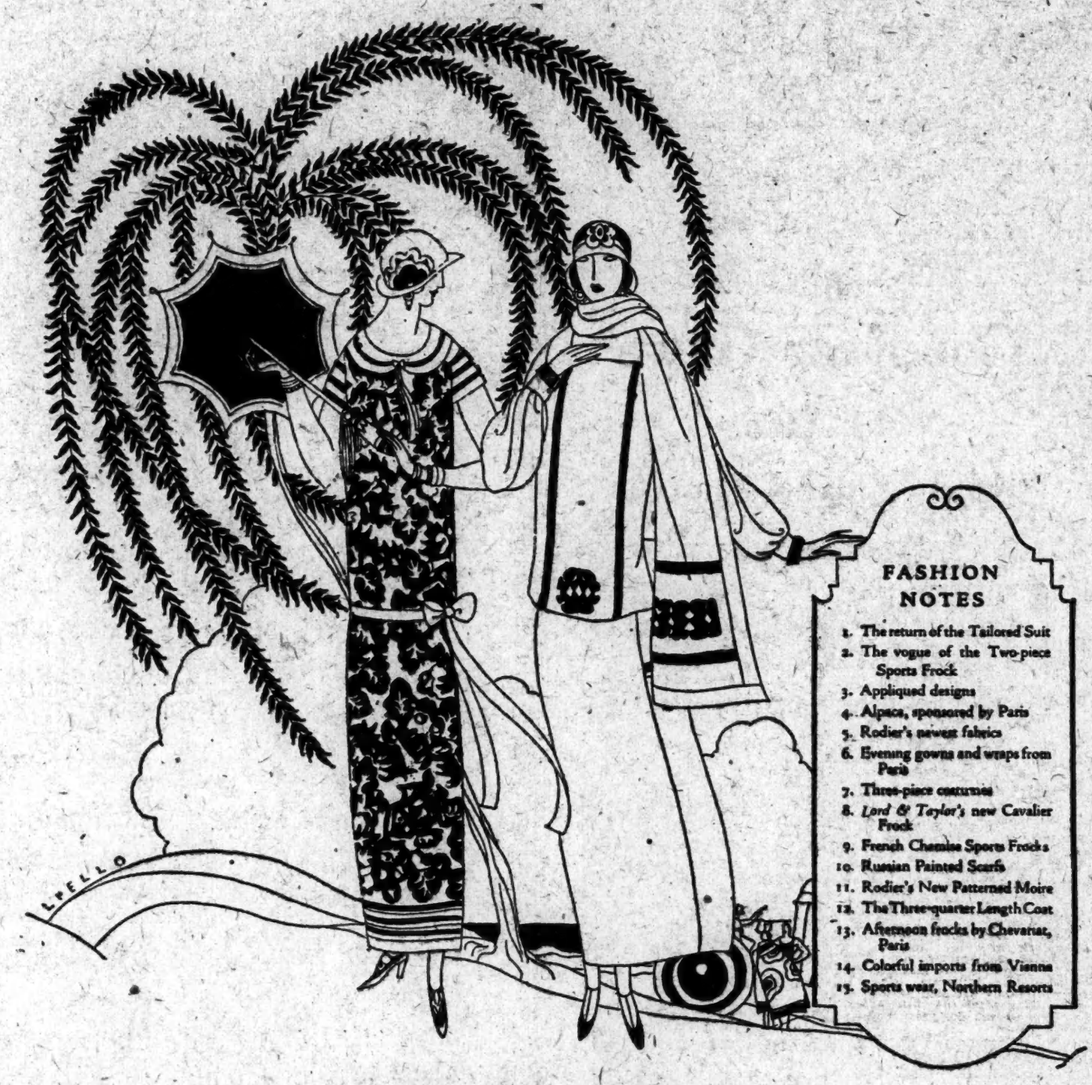

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A charming frock, suitable for southern wear, is sketched above, *left*. It is of voile with appliqued pattern of contrasting color. Black on white, flesh color or yellow on white and other combinations. Some of these are chemise frocks and some are lovely two-piece styles. This new fashion of appliqued design is also shown in two-piece suits. All so appropriate for southern daytime wear.

Sketched above, *right*, is one of the group of two-piece frocks *Lord & Taylor* is emphasizing for southern wear. Like its companion, it is of a plain color with appliqued pattern of contrasting shade. The principal feature of this sports frock is the scarf which is thrown jauntily over the shoulder and ends in the appliqued design repeated from the blouse. Other two-piece frocks are found in voile, batiste or knit fabrics.

Sketched *below* is a smart suit of jersey especially adaptable for skating and other winter sports. Its scarf collar, knotted snugly around the neck is one more example of the versatility of the scarf in this season's fashions. It is crocheted in bright colors which are repeated on cuffs and the band of the cap. Complete, $69.50

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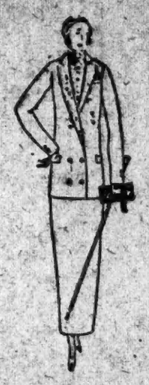

This trim tailored suit, the smartest fashion of its kind for the new season, finds its services required for travelling as well as for correct town wear. It is of covert cloth in Oxford, tan, and grey. Also in black hair-line stripes—the season's favorite tailored materials. $85

A Rodier scarf frock made entirely of Rodier scarfs. These scarfs were selected by our representative and made up in Paris especially for this showing. They are found in bright colors, with strikingly vivid printed designs, $65. Another new Rodier fabric, patterned moire, is fashioned into frocks and coats for this collection.

The above three-quarter length coat has a decided air of China about it. It is a woven patterned fabric in a fascinating combination of henna and yellow, $55. One of a group of three-quarter length coats featured by *Lord & Taylor*.

A brilliant gathering is made still more brilliant by the presence of this exquisite evening gown from Paris. Georgette crepe, in all pale evening shades, it is adorned with a design embroidered in brilliants, in pearls or in sequins. $65. One of a group of gowns imported by *Lord & Taylor*.

The imported three-piece suit sketched above, came from Paris. It is of kasha cloth, gayly embroidered in bright colors. One almost hopes for a warm winter day, so that the coat may be discarded and reveal the two-piece frock with the smart throw-around scarf. $125

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INDICTMENTS READY IN HOLD-UP MURDERS

It Is Expected Five Men Will Be Named in Presentments Returned Today.

FUGITIVE GUNMAN TRAILED

Detectives Miss Capturing the Fifth Alleged Slayer by Only Twenty Minutes.

The Kings County Grand Jury finished yesterday its investigation of the hold-up and killing of the two West Side Bank messengers in Brooklyn on Nov. 14, and it was expected that indictments charging murder in the first degree would be handed down this morning.

While District Attorney Dodd would not discuss the probable findings, he did not deny that he expected five men would be indicted. At the present time Barlow M. and Joseph G. Diamond, Anthony Patano, the former messenger for the bank, and John Farini are charged with being the principals in the crime, together with an unnamed bandit for whom the police of many cities are looking.

The indictments probably will be returned before Judge Franklin Taylor in the Kings County Court. As soon as this is done the authorities will move for the extradition of Farini, now held in Hoboken. Application will be made at once to Governor Smith for a warrant. When this is signed Governor Silzer of New Jersey will be asked to authorize the return of the prisoner to this jurisdiction. Six witnesses, according to the police, have identified Farini as an active participant in the killing of the two messengers, and another witness, according to the same source, has testified that he saw Farini on the street on the morning of the murder at the time the latter said he was in the Lafayette Baths.

The indictments will supersede the case against the Diamond brothers and Pantano in the magistrate's court and make unnecessary their appearance before Magistrate Golden in the Flatbush Court on Monday.

More than a dozen witnesses were heard by the Grand Jury. Six were before that body on Monday. Those heard yesterday, it was reported, included witnesses on whom the State depended to connect Farini with the crime.

Detectives on the trail of the fifth man, accused as a principal, are so close to him that, it was said yesterday, they arrived at a dice game in another State just twenty minutes after the man had lost his money and his watch and left.

BARS PARTY POLITICS IN NAMING OF JUDGES

Coolidge Indicates That He Seeks Approval Rather of the Bar and the Public.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—With a number of Federal judgeships waiting to be filled, White House officials declared today that political influences would not be the determining factor in making the selections.

The approbation of the bar, and the general opinion of the community as to the standing, learning and ability of possible candidates, was said to be regarded by President Coolidge as of foremost importance. Suggestions from political leaders will be welcomed, but it was emphasized that such influences would be of much less importance than in the case of appointments to other offices.

Appointments to the Federal bench, in the opinion of the President, it was said, should be made so that there would be no resulting controversy.

The statement as to the President's general view was made in connection with an announcement that no decision had been reached regarding the selection of a judge for the eastern district of Missouri. This appointment in particular has been brought to the attention of the President through conferences within the past two days with Senator Spencer, who is urging Vital W. Garasche, while Representative Dyer, J. L. Babler, Republican National Committeeman, and Mrs. Lon O. Hocker, Republican National Committeewoman, are opposing Garasche.

KELLOGG IS CONFIRMED, 9 SENATORS OPPOSING

Copeland Is One of Those Who Votes Against Nominee for Ambassadorship to Britain.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The nomination of ex-Senator Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota to be Ambassador to Great Britain was confirmed by the Senate this afternoon. The vote on confirmation, however, was not unanimous, as is usually the rule when the person to be confirmed is a former member of the Senate.

Nine Senators voted to reject the nomination for Mr. Kellogg. They were Magnus Johnson and Shipstead, Farmer-Laborites from Minnesota; Copeland of New York, Ferris of Michigan, Wheeler of Montana and Dill of Washington, Democrats; Brookhart of Iowa, Frazier of North Dakota and Norris of Nebraska, Radical Progressive.

NINE ON VETTER JURY.

Prosecutor Says He Has New Evidence Against Man and Wife.

District Attorney Dana Wallace sent members of his staff through the Glendale section of Queens yesterday in an effort to verify new information bearing on the trial of Ernest Vetter and his wife for the murder of Alonzo J. Storey.

"Within the past two days," said Mr. Wallace last night, "information has been brought to me concerning this case which I have considered of very great importance to the prosecution. I have sent out to have it verified and my information now is that it is true. I expect to present this information to the jury during the course of the trial and I consider it of the greatest importance."

Over thirty talesmen were examined during yesterday, resulting in the selection of four of them. This makes a total of nine men now in the jury box, five having been selected on Monday. An effort to complete the jury will be made today.

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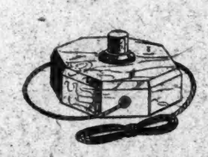

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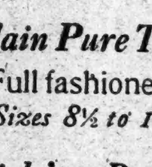
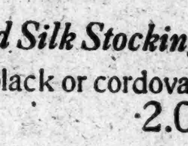
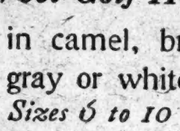


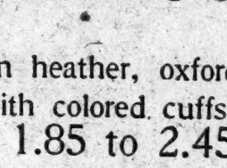
A PEPPER MILL is interesting and inexpensive. Various finishes, from $1.50 to $8.67. Mill shown, nickeled frame, glass sides, $2.50. Ebony with silver-plated bands, $6.83.



It takes less than two seconds to find any one of the 350 names in this remarkable telephone index. Bronze finish, $2.50; silver finish, $3.50; gold finish, $5.



GLASS COMPOTES, with borders of encrusted gold, find their use again and again through the year. 6¼" and 4¼" high. The pair, $8. Each, $4.



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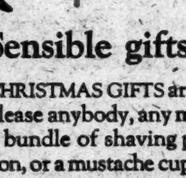

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BLAMES ENGINEER FOR FORSYTH WRECK

New York Central Official Says Inquiry Shows Danger Signals Were Ignored.

TESTIMONY HEARD AT ERIE

Commerce Commission Will Review It and Coroners May Act—Injured Are Recovering.

Special to The New York Times.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 11.—Upon Engineer Charles Patterson of Buffalo, driver of the third section of the Twentieth Century Limited, was placed the responsibility today for the wreck at Forsyth, N. Y. early on Sunday morning, which cost nine lives, injured more than two score others and damaged the first section of the same train on the New York Central Railroad.

In a statement issued by John Brogan, Superintendent of the Erie division of the railroad, following an all-day investigation in the presence of three coroners and two representatives of the Interstate Commerce Commission, he said:

"The evidence has shown that the engineer of the third section failed to comply with the danger signals and failed to handle his train in accordance with them.

"The evidence is all in, but it must be written out and reviewed by the Interstate Commerce Commission before a formal decision can be handed down. It is impossible to say just when this will be."

Coroners B. M. Blood and E. B. Osgood of Chautauqua County left before the announcement. Coroner Blood declared that after a transcript of the evidence had been completed he would confer with his county District Attorney to determine whether criminal action should be taken in connection with the wreck.

He also said that if any inquest were held it would be in Chautauqua County. Coroner Cardot of Erie County has not yet decided whether he will hold an inquest.

Evidence gathered at the investigation, at which seventeen witnesses were questioned, will be taken directly to Washington by Inspectors Craig and Johnson of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Engineer Patterson testified that he did not see the warning flare set up by the brakeman of the first section, which had been stalled on the crossing by a flare set up by the second section, preceding the other two.

Railroad technicians testified that the signals were in good working order, and that Patterson's engine was also in good condition. They testified that Patterson must have passed a yellow caution signal, a red danger block and the warning flare. As far as could be learned, the engineer stuck to his story that because of the fog he could not see the signals. The hearing was secret.

No mention was made of the charge that the last car in the first section was of wooden construction, railroad officials apparently contenting themselves with their previous declaration that the train was composed of solid steel coaches only.

F. B. Weigiens, railroad signal engineer, testified that the signals were in good condition. L. N. Crosse, engineer of the first section, and A. N. Cross, both of Ashtasula, also testified.

Weiss Has Chance for Recovery.

Cheered by his mother's arrival here, George Weiss, President of the New Haven baseball club, the most seriously injured of the victims of the wreck, tonight declared his determination to "pull through."

Tonight physicians describe Weiss as "having an excellent chance to live if no complications set in."

Mrs. Weiss believes he will be on the road to recovery in two weeks.

Among telegrams of best wishes received at the hospital are messages from nearly every player who ever worked with Weiss; from Mayor David E. Fitzgerald of New Haven, Colonel I. M. Ulman of New Haven, George Parmly Day, Treasurer of the Yale University; Al. Jolson, Leatrice Joy, Judge Keneshaw Landis and Douglas Fairbanks Jr.

Carl D. iKnsey of Chicago, George Van Hagen Sr. of Chicago and John Zanft, New York, other victims in the accident in the hospital here, are recovering.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The foreign trade figures of France for the first ten months of 1923 show that it was a period of adverse trade balance to the extent of some 2,000,000,000 francs, of which 85 per cent. went to the United States.

France's imports from America to the first of November this year were 3,773,000,000 francs as compared with 2,815,000,000 last year, due largely to the fall in value of the franc. The American favorable balance this year is 1,716,000,000 francs, as compared with 1,163,000,000 francs in the same period last year.

The figures show that while last year French imports from America exceeded slightly the British, this year the imports from Britain exceed the imports from America by some 400,000,000 francs. This is largely due to the purchase of coal from England in the first quarter of this year.

Britain is the biggest customer of France, which sent there in the ten months of 1923 nearly 5,000,000,000 francs' worth of goods, while America bought slightly ovre 2,000,000,000. But while France has an adverse account with America of 1,700,000,000 francs, her balance with England is favorable by some 600,000,000 francs.

The figures show that the business between France and Germany was about one-half this year of the volume last year.

BANK CASHIER MISSING.

$40,000 Shortage in Accounts of West Pittston (Pa.) Officer.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 11.—A warrant was issued today for the arrest of Gilbert J. Trim, cashier of the West Side Bank of West Pittston, charging him with a shortage in his accounts. Trim disappeared from the bank yesterday about the time bank examiners arrived. It was said by bank officials, who added the shortage would reach about $40,000.

The liabilities of the bank were guaranteed by the Miners' Savings Bank of Pittston. Trim's surety bond, it was said, already had been paid and the difference between this and the shortage would be made up by the Miners' Savings Bank of Pittston.

Trim had been connected with the bank since 1908. He is married and has one daughter, and is said to have lived modestly.

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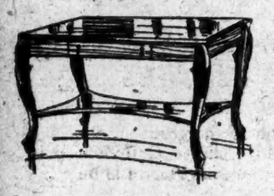

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LABOR GIVES SMITH LEGISLATIVE IDEAS

Lists 16 Recommendations, Some of Them of an Advanced Character.

WOULD BAN INJUNCTIONS

Proposes 48-Hour Week for Women and Children and Free Medical Treatment for Scholars.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 11.—Governor Smith received today from representatives of the State Federation of Labor and the State Conference for Progressive Political Action the legislative program and suggestions for legislation for the 1924 session.

Two suggestions are discussed in the matter of administration, one is that automatic sprinklers be included as fire safeguards in the plans for the new State hospitals. The other is for an increase in the appropriation for the Labor Department, "to enable the continuance of the present enlightened administration of that department," and to permit expansion of its activities to labor law enforcement and Workmen's Compensation law administration.

Sixteen definite legislative recommendations submitted to the Governor are:

Incorporation in the State anti-monopoly law of the declaration that the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce.

That no court injunction shall be issued in an industrial dispute unless authorized by a verdict after a trial of the facts, with both parties represented and present.

State Insurance for Workmen.

Establishment of the State insurance fund as the only form of insurance for workmen's compensation, with other amendments to the compensation law.

Eight-hour workday and forty-eight-hour working week for employed women and minors.

Restoration of original penalty of forfeiture for violation of the eight-hour and prevailing rate of wages law on public work contract by public works contractors.

Supplying free textbooks and medical, surgical and dental treatment for all school children, with school lunches at cost.

Enactment of an executive budget.

Restoration of direct primary as recommended by Governor Smith.

Repeal of the Motion Picture Censorship law.

Direct popular amendment of State Constitution by initiative petition of voters and referendum at following State election.

State and municipal development and distribution at cost to homes, farms and workshops of electrical light, heat and power, generated from the water powers of the State as State-owned.

To Restrict Railroad Police.

Amending the railroad police law to provide that railroad policemen shall perform only police duties, and that such policemen shall be licensed.

Amendment of the executive law to provide that State Police shall not enter communities having organized police forces unless invited by vote of the local legislative authority.

Defeat of any proposal to compel labor organizations to incorporate or to limit or restrict the right to be licensed, and of any proposal of wage earners to quit work singly or in bodies.

Defeat of any proposal to censor books or other publications.

Repeal of present public service commissions law.

Among those who conferred with the Governor were President James P. Holland, of the State Federation of Labor, and other officers of the federation, and President Thomas E. Ryan, of the State Conference for Progressive Political Action, and other officials.

$125,000 TO BAR ASSOCIATION

Fund by William Nelson Cromwell for the Organization.

William Nelson Cromwell, of the law firm of Sullivan & Cromwell, 49 Wall Street, has made a gift to the Bar Association of $125,000, the principal to be invested and the income to be available for the general purposes of the association. The announcement was made last night by Henry W. Taft, President of the Bar Association. It is the largest single gift the Bar Association has ever received.

In a cable dispatch from Paris Mr. Cromwell said that the gift was a token of his "devotion to all that is noblest and highest in our profession exemplified in the Association of the Bar and with gratitude for its life-long esteem far beyond his merits." The fund, according to President Taft is to be called "The William Nelson Cromwell Fund." It was made, said Mr. Taft in accordance with what Mr. Cromwell termed "a long cherished design."

The gift was accepted in resolutions passed last night by the Executive Committee of the association, in which it was recited that the gift would enable the association to promote "an extension of its activities in preserving the best traditions of our profession and in improving the administration of justice."

SNOW IN SOUTH, WARM HERE

Freakish Weather Attributed to Unusual Air Conditions.

While the people of Albuquerque, Las Vegas and Santa Fé, N. M., were making snow paths yesterday New York City had already broken, by three days, its record of a snowless December. Prior to this year the latest date for the first snowfall was Dec. 8, 1913, when a "trace" was noted, according to W. G. Riley, an observer in the Weather Bureau.

The conditions allowing the blossoming of December dandelions in the North while the South is shivering are difficult to explain, said Mr. Riley last night. He believes, however, that the great inequality of atmospheric pressure throughout the country is responsible for the freak records.

According to Mr. Riley, continued warm weather is expected here for the remainder of the week, barring a slight freeze and slightly cooler weather today.

Survey Rockefeller Estate.

A survey being made of the William Rockefeller estate at Tarrytown led to a rumor that the Ward-Carpenter Company, Inc., of White Plains, engineers and builders, had taken a contract to lay out a golf course. The company denied this yesterday, explaining that it frequently had surveyed the property for the late Mr. Rockefeller.

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Equal in fashion, quality and workmanship to coats at a much higher price

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A special selling of forty-five semi-made tunics in evening shades. The styles include Georgette with rhinestones, net with colored beads, and black net with jet. The designs are very new and the lines simple. To make a charming evening gown of one of these tunics, one needs only a costume slip and a very little sewing.

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Also wool hose in the newest winter shades, 1.85

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Frocks for late Fall and Winter sports or street wear, of finest wool or velour plaids, jersey, ratine or wool spongeen. Navy and all high colors.

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An interesting assemblage of choice undergarments, fashioned of heavy-quality silks, which by reason of superior workmanship will instantly appeal to women of good purchasing judgment; including

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For Men, Women and Children

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Necklaces	$5.95 to $59.95	Hair Ornaments	$2.95 to $25.00
Pearl Bracelets	$5.95 to $59.50	Rhinestone Bandeaux	$1.50 to $29.50
Pearl Necklaces, diamond clasps	$3.95 to $30.00	French Fans, many colors	$7.95 to $50.00
Pearl Necklaces, solid gold clasps	$2.95 to $25.00	Jet Spanish Combs	$6.95 to $19.95
Novelty Fancy Necklaces	$1.95 to $22.95	Jet Side or Back Combs	$2.00 to $ 7.95
Turquoise Matrix Necklaces	$5.95 to $11.95	Jet Brooches	$ .95 to $10.95
Pendants	$1.95 to $10.95	Jet Earrings	$1.95 to $12.95
Enamel Vanity Case	$5.95 to $19.95	Jet Necklaces	$ .95 to $22.95

French Bags

Beaded Bags	$3.95 to $50
Silk Bags	$3.95 to $50
Silk and Velvet Bags	$7.95 to $35
Novelty Bags	$10 to $50

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Silk and Metal Brocades	$3.50 to $25
Brocaded Velvets, superb pastel and high shades	$8.90 to $15.50
Chiffon Velvets	$9.50

French Gifts of Fine Needlework

Baby Things

Long Dresses	$1.95 to $24.95
Short Dresses	$1.95 to $24.00
Pique Shoes	$1 to $2.95
Pillow Covers	$4.95 to $9.95
Carriage Sets	$23.95 to $34.95
Crib Sheets	$3.95 to $5.95
Pillow Cases	$2.95 to $9.95
Girls' Gowns	$1.95 to $8.95

Boudoir Things

Normandy Scarfs	$15 to $35
Silk Pillows	$3.95 to $125
Library Scarfs	$2.95 to $35
Desk Sets	$9.75 to $27.50
Telephone Screens	$2.75 to $9
Silk Bed Lights	$3.95 to $12.00
Picture Frames	$2 to $9
Glove Boxes	$2.25 to $10.75

Gifts of Parisian Toiletries

French 'Kerchiefs

Men's voiles; silks; linens; $1 to $5 each. Women's silks; linens, voiles; 50c to $35 each

French Apparel

Overblouses; knitted suits; costume frocks and coats; $12.95 to $295

French Lamps

Boudoir; night; table; porcelain; crystal; novelty; $6.25 to $125

French Atomizers in fancy shapes and colors ..... $3 to $16
Shaving Stands, nickel-plated $24
Fancy Powder Boxes, various colors and designs ..... $1.25 to $8.50
8-Piece Manicure Sets, shell finish; gift boxed $4.50
Ivory-finish Manicure Set, 6 pieces $1.50
Child's Ivory-finish Manicure Set, 5 pieces; a charming little gift $1.25

French Perfumes

Houbigant's Quelques Fleurs	$4.00	$7.50
Houbigant's Ideal	$3.50	$6.75
Mary Garden Perfume	$2.40 to	$5.17
Djer-Kiss Sachet		65c
Djer-Kiss Perfume	$2.60	$3.25
Djer-Kiss Toilet Water		$1.35
Gabilla's Mon Cheri Perfume		$5.25
Coty's L'Origan Perfume		$5.75
Flaconette Perfumes, assorted odors		89c

French Gloves

Women's kidskin; novelty cuff and slip-on gloves. In colors and black, $3.25 to $4.50

French Bandeaux

Bandeaux; garnitures; boutonnieres; artificial flowers 45c to $15

French Dolls

Dressed and undressed. A beautiful array, $6 to $100

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From the Founder's Writings

Showing Himself Very Cheerful

Baron Muffling relates that the Duke of Wellington remained at the Duchess of Richmond's ball on the morning of the 16th of June, 1915, and "showed himself very cheerful."

So he did at Waterloo, riding along the line and cheering his men by his face and manner and his troops cheered him, too, when in face of danger, and together they won the battle.

To be cheerful must have been in the old English general's heart, or it could not have got into his face and stayed there so long.

It is something to be thankful for to be born with a genial spirit and gracious manners, but there are none who cannot acquire the grace of cheerfulness.

Make this big building and its daily service brim over with cheerfulness. Keep the mouth closed that gives out only churlish words.

(Signed) John Wanamaker

IN THE AUDITORIUM
At 2.15 P. M. and 3.45 P. M.
A Child's Christmas Dream
Santa's Circus
First Gallery, New Bldg.

Coolidge Stands By Budget System

N. Y. Evening Post.

The President Says "Budget"

Can the individual—limited to a comparatively small income—be more careless of his expenditures than the Government of the richest country in the world backed by its unlimited taxing power?

How much should an unmarried man or woman save each year?

How much should be spent on self improvement nd recreation?

How much should be in the bank before it is safe to marry?

How much should be set aside for equipping the home?

What percentage should be allowed for the home's maintenance and improvement?

At what time of life is one ordinarily under the heaviest expenses?

When should the most rigid economies be practised and for what purpose?

The Director of The Little Home that Budget Built will make a budget for you—your own personal needs—without charge or obligation.

Sixth Gallery, New Building

A Dispersal of "Diana Salon" Frocks

$95 to $115 Frocks— $68
$125 to $145 Frocks— $95
$165 to $245 Frocks—$125

A timely sale for Miss 14 to 20 for the holiday season, for these are the types of frocks that the smartest young women are wearing around town at tea time, at the theatre or opera, at the important restaurants and at debutante parties.

In the afternoon frocks—

Velvets, crepe Romaine, plain or embroidered crepe de chine, crepe satins and kasha cloth.

In the evening frocks—

Metal brocades and metal cloths, gorgeous in their suppleness; fine velvets, many beaded; delicate chiffons; printed velvets.

Second Floor, Old Building

An Unexpected Purchase!

—and the public prompted our quick decision, for on Saturday, alone, scores of people asked if we had more of the squares which we had in a sale the beginning of the week.

3,500 Silk Squares
$1.55
Our $2.25 to $4 and higher grades

One couldn't buy the silk for tomorrow's price of these squares.

Hand-batiked silk squares—quite lustrous and beautiful combinations of colors.

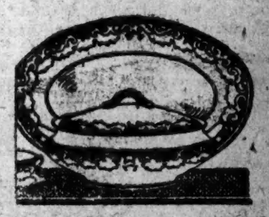
Printed silks—many in Oriental patterns
27 to 36 inches square.

Also—Squares at $1
Our $1.50 grade

Printed silks with borders. 23 inches square. Just right for young girls. Only 200.

Silk Rotunda, Street Floor, Old Building

$85 Christmas Dinner Services
$60



100, of Royal Bayreuth Bavarian China in a favorite design. Full complement for serving twelve persons, including 14 and 16 in. turkey platters.

A wide border of charming irregularity, combines the royal blue, for which this pottery is famous, with a beige-colored scroll, festoons of pink roses and a fine gold line. The regal appearance of these services, made more regal still by coin-gold covered ribbon handles.

100 Pieces in each Service

A dozen each of dinner, soup, entree, and bread-and-butter plates; a dozen preserve dishes; a dozen cups and saucers; two large platters; two covered serving dishes, one round, one oval; sauce boat and stand; salad bowl; pickle dish; sugar bowl, cream pitcher, butter dish.

Fifty New Designs in Service Plates
a Fifth to Half Less—$12 to $500 a dozen

A large new shipment of service plates in brand new designs—fine china from Limoges, Rosenthal china from Selb, Bavaria. And all the time new and beautiful patterns in English bone china from the famous potteries of Cauldon, Doulton and others.

Second Gallery, New Building

IN THE SALE OF CORSETS
$10 to $15 grades, $5
$5 to $8 grades, $2.95

All this season's models, firmly made of good firm materials and boned, not heavily but well, to give the figure trim, slender lines. Clasp-ons, back and front lace corsets, for slight, average and full figures, are to be had at each price.

Model Brassieres and Bandeaux, $1

Were it not for the fact that we made a tremendous purchase of these widely-known brassieres and bandeaux the prices would be $2 and $3. Materials are of excellent qualities. Sizes 32 to 54.

Third Floor, Old Building

Boys' Leather Coats, $21.50

Fine soft leather coats, reversing to moleskin, corduroy, or rainproof gabardine. Sizes 26 to 36 chest measurement.

Boys' Sheepskin Coats, $14.75

Sizes for boys of 4 to 20 years. The moleskin shell is lined with soft, fleecy sheepskin. Collar of wombat or opossum which will not shed. In a roomy double-breasted model.

Third Floor, Old Building

More GIFT PETTICOATS In Lovely Soft Silks

Radium silk, silk jersey, taffeta, satin, crepe de chine and crepe meteor in a delightful array of slim-fitting petticoats.

Embroideries, pleated ruffles and fine laces often accentuate the shimmering beauty of the materials, which come in all the approved street colors and in delicate pastel shades for evening wear. These are most attractively priced for gift giving at $7.95 to $17.50.

Note—In the collection there are many models that are particularly becoming to the larger woman.

Third Floor, Old Building

$5.95 Silk Nightgowns, $4.95

Of pure unweighted, fine quality crepe de chine. Three models, tailored and lace-trimmed, each perfectly executed. In fact, except in far more expensive silk lingerie, or imported lingerie, one rarely sees such care in the execution of all details of workmanship.

Flesh-pink, orchid, peach-pink are the colors.

Third Floor, Old Building

WANAMAKER SHOPS FOR MEN

Gift Slippers for Men

A group of Christmas slippers that are most unusual. The man who gets a pair will thank the giver every time he slips into them, so soft and comfortable are they. Moderately priced, too.

Red, green, black or tan cavalier	$7.50
Patent leather low shoes	$7.50
Tan alligator, tan kid or brown oose	$6.00
Tan or black kidskin, Romeo or opera	$5.00
Red, green or black morocco Brighton	$5.00
Patent leather Brighton	$5.00
Tan or black kidskin opera	$4.00
"Wooleather," wool on inside	$3.50
Indian moccasins	$3.50
"Comfy" felt slippers, high or low	$2 and $3

They may be bought and exchanged for other slippers after Christmas, should you be mistaken in the size.

Street Floor, New Building

SPECIALIZED SERVICE — STREET FLOOR

'MAD MONK' HALTS MOVIE STOCK SALE

Court Grants Injunction Against "Rising Sun Productions" on Complaint of Illiodor.

HE WAS TO HAVE BEEN STAR

No Pictures Made, but 1,000 Young Men and Women Said to Have Been Duped.

Supreme Court Justice Platzek issued an injunction yesterday restraining the Rising Sun Productions, Inc., a moving picture concern, of 112 West 44th Street, from selling its capital stock to the public. The injunction resulted from a complaint to Attorney General Carl Sherman by S. M. Trufanoff-Iliodor, better known as "Iliodor, the Man Monk of Russia," who was credited with great influence in that country at one time.

According to Deputy Attorney General John J. Dwyer, the movie company used Iliodor's name to defraud 1,000 young men and women whom it induced to buy $50 worth of stock each on the understanding that they were to be taught movie acting and given jobs in "Five Years in Hell," an Iliodor picture. Mr. Dwyer alleges that from $50,000 to $60,000 worth of stock was sold, and that if the company had been allowed to continue it would have worked a $1,000,000 swindle on the public, as it was capitalized in Delaware at that figure.

Iliodor does not speak English, so Deputy Attorney General Abraham Rosenthal, who applied for the injunction, presented an affidavit made by a friend of the monk's, Joseph Podolsney of 120 East 111th Street, who speaks both English and Russian. According to this affidavit, Iliodor was approached by Al Gilbert, President of the Rising Sun Productions, Inc., and was induced to enter into a contract with him on March 1, 1923, for the production of moving pictures about his experiences in Russia. The contract provided that Iliodor was to star in the pictures and direct and superintend their production, and that he was to receive $300,000 worth of the capital stock of the corporation.

What He Was to Receive.

Another agreement, signed on March 28, according to the affidavit, provided that Iliodor was to be paid a salary for three years beginning with the date on which production should begin on the first film. The salary was to be $500 a week for the first year, $750 a week for the second year, and $1,000 a week for the third year, during periods of production. When no production was going on, Iliodor was to receive $250 a week in the first year, $375 a week in the second year, and $500 a week in the third year.

The affidavit charged that Iliodor has not received any money or stock from the corporation. It also alleged that the picture "Five Years in Hell" had not been produced, and that not even the first steps toward a production had been made. Iliodor, according to the affidavit, is about to take legal steps to nullify his agreements with the corporation.

Iliodore's address is given as 200 Second Avenue in copies of his agreements with the movie concern, attached to the legal papers. The contracts show that the Russian monk appointed Gilbert as his sole agent to handle all his moving picture work for three years. Iliodor was supposed to write the scenarios, act the leading rôles and be the director in all his productions.

Erasmus J. Sigler of 324 West Fifty-eighth Street, who has been Vice President of the Rising Sun Productions, Inc., since last October, made an affidavit in which he told how the concern sold its stock. He said that he went to see Gilbert after reading newspaper articles that Iliodor was to be starred in 'Five Years in Hell," and told Gilbert that he had been the proprietor of a moving picture school called the Hollywood Preparatory.

Sigler Becomes Vice President.

According to Sigler, he was induced by Gilbert to become Vice President and to turn over to Gilbert his method of instruction used in a course of forty lessons at the Hollywood Preparatory. In return, Sigler said, he was to receive $10,000 of the capital stock.

Sigler said that Gilbert's stock-selling campaign was based on the following advertisements, inserted in several English and foreign-language newspapers:

"ACT IN THE MOVIES—We are now preparing for a ten-reel super feature production starring Iliodor, 'The Mad Monk of Russia,' and an exceptional opportunity is offered to ambitious ladies, gentlemen and children to enter the moving picture profession. As we are producers of motion pictures we can start you in our productions when you qualify. Two pictures, 'Is Mother to Blame?' and 'The Bootleggers,' are now playing in the leading motion picture theatres all over the world, which were produced by our Mr. Gilbert. For further particulars apply The Rising Sun Productions, Inc., Al Gilbert, President, Suite 307, 112 West 44th Street. Open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M."

According to Sigler, the concern advertised heavily in Italian newspapers, as foreign types were desired to heighten the Russian scenes. All the applicants, however, were told they were good types, he said. Gilbert, according to Sigler, told the applicants the training course was worth $50, but that he would sell them five shares of stock at $10 a share par value for $50, instead of charging them for the course itself. Sigler also said that Gilbert guaranteed the pupils they would appear in his next production, that they would receive twelve lessons in six weeks, and that in case they didn't make good in the pictures he would give them $1,000 as penalty for his misjudgment.

Iliodor Fails to Get Stock.

Sigler said Gilbert had not started to produce the Iliodor picture. He also said that Gilbert told Iliodor that he was unable to carry out his agreement to give him the $300,000 worth of capital stock because under the laws of the United States Iliodor, as an alien, was not permitted to receive the stock personally, and that Gilbert would hold it for him.

The Vice President said that he had never been able to see the books of the corporation. Receipts from pupils who answered the advertisements, according to Sigler, have amounted to several hundred dollars a day, but no records have been kept as to the disposition of these receipts. Sigler charged that most of the money received had never been deposited to the corporation's bank account, but had been pocketed by Gilbert. From his personal observation and close contact with the corporation, he said he was able to state that it had been organized primarily as "a stock-jobbing proposition and fraudulent stock promotion."

The defense was ordered to show cause on Friday morning at 10 o'clock in Part I, Special Term, Supreme Court, why the injunction should not be made permanent.

BRITISH HEARD COOLIDGE.

Outlying Districts of London Caught Parts of His Eulogy of Harding.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Few of the hundreds of radio enthusiasts in London, who combed the wireless waves from across the Atlantic at 1:30 o'clock this morning [8:30 Monday evening, Eastern Standard Time] were rewarded by hearing President Coolidge's New England accent as broadcast from the American stations.

The President's speech was heard at irregular intervals in the outlying districts of London, but the congestion in the metropolitan area, due to the big station here, prevented a clear reception in the city. Amateurs in the London suburbs of Shepherd's Bush and Barnes picked up fragments of the speech.

The Shop of Original Models
RUSSEKS
FIFTH AVENUE
34th Street 35th Street

Special Christmas Reductions
FURS

GIFTS of FURS are Gifts worth while, rendered more valuable because of the attractive concessions between now and Christmas

Actual Values Are up to	New 1924 Models	Christmas Sale Prices
$450	HUDSON SEAL CAPES — 42 Inch Models that are Real Values.	$165
$395	PERSIAN LAMB COATS — Full Length Models with Collars and Cuffs of Skunk or Squirrel.	$195
$350	RACCOON COATS — Selected Dark Skins. 45 In. Models	$225
$425	HUDSON SEAL COATS — Full Length Models with Deep Collar and Sleeves of Viatka Squirrel.	$295
$425	SCOTCH MOLE COATS — Long Models with Collar and Side Panels of Squirrel.	$295
$625	ALASKA SEAL COATS — 45 Inch Models Trimmed with Lynx.	$350
$595	SIBERIAN SQUIRREL COATS — In The New Full Length Tubular Models.	$395
$650	RICH BEAVER COATS — Full Length Models of Exquisite Skins.	$395
$850	HUDSON SEAL COATS — Distinctive Full Length Models Trimmed with Kolinsky, Viatka Squirrel, Badger or Fox.	$450
$1100	PERSIAN BROADTAIL COATS — Full Length Models with Self Collars.	$575
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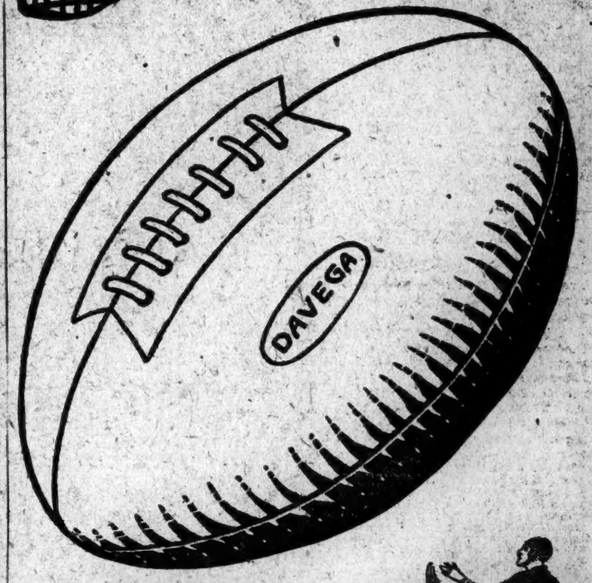

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MAJESTIC ARRIVES WITH 1,700 ABOARD

J. P. Morgan Is Silent Upon Return From Four-Month Sojourn in Britain.

NEW CABLE SEEMS ASSURED

Carlton Expects Work to Start In July on $15,000,000 Link With Europe Via Azores.

The White Star liner Majestic docked at her West Nineteenth Street pier yesterday after being delayed four hours at Quarantine. The delay was caused by unloading of 10,000 sacks of Christmas mails, Captain Sir Bertram Hayes, the master, said. The liner carried 1,701 passengers, of whom 814 were Americans. Captain Hayes said the weather was rough for the first twenty-four hours after leaving Cherbourg and the speed was reduced to twenty knots because of high head seas.

Among the 646 first-cabin passengers was J. Pierpont Morgan, who passed a four-months' vacation abroad. He spent most of the time in Scotland shooting grouse, partridge and pheasants. He made occasional visits to London to attend conferences with bankers and financiers, which he declined to discuss.

"I must not break my rule against giving interviews," said Mr. Morgan. "If I did once, I should never have peace again. I am sorry, but I must remain silent."

He was accompanied by Mrs. Morgan. Both remained in their suite until all the other passengers had left the ship.

Newcomb Carlton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, who returned from England, said that negotiations with that country had been concluded for the laying of the cable from New York to Portugal, via the Azores. Work on the undertaking, he said, would be commenced next July, contingent upon the ratification of the agreement by the Portugal Chamber of Deputies. Mr. Carlton said ratification was practically assured.

The cable will cost $15,000,000, Mr. Carlton added. Because of high speed transmission, he explained, it will handle five times the volume of messages now handled by the majority of ocean cables. The proposed tax reduction would benefit the cable companies, Mr. Carlton said, as it would stimulate business.

Willis H. Booth, President of the International Chamber of Commerce, who returned on the liner, left for Washington to report to the State Department on conferences he attended while abroad.

Dr. Rupert Blue, Assistant Surgeon General in charge of public health work with immigrants at twenty-seven ports of embarkation, arrived on the Majestic. He has been in Paris for three and a half years. Health conditions of immigrants have improved in the past two years, Dr. Blue said, chiefly because of vaccination of aliens at embarkation points. He said typhus and smallpox were prevalent in Central Europe and the Caucasus.

Another passenger was Dr. Burr Ferguson of the United States Health Service, who has been stationed at Southampton, England. He said he had discovered a fluid for injection into the arteries which strengthens and multiplies the white corpuscles which form a defense against infection.

Hugh C. Wallace, ex-Ambassador to France, who came back on the Majestic, was optimistic about conditions in France and England. He said there would be suffering in Germany this Winter and political uncertainty in England and France, but he looked for an improvement in the near future. "The rock bottom of distress has been reached," he declared.

Others arriving were Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Miss Grace Vanderbilt, Sir Douglas Alexander, President of the Singer Manufacturing Company; Stamford Shotland, 9, who crossed in the charge of the purser, and was met at the pier by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Shotland of Chicago; A. Mitchell Palmer, who was Federal Attorney General under President Wilson, and Baroness Wrangel, niece of the General.

ROCK ISLAND RENEWS ENGINEERS' CONTRACT

Hope Increased All Roads Will Effect Amicable Settlement of Wage Question.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Hope that railways of the country will effect amicable adjustments of the wage question involving train service employes gained support tonight when it was unofficially reported that the Rock Island had renewed for one year its contract with the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. While details were not announced, it is said that the rate of pay will remain unchanged.

All of the transportation Brotherhoods have demanded wage boosts for their members. These the railway chiefs have declared are out of the question. Working rules also have been a factor of the disputes and it had been predicted that if the carriers would make concessions on these, the men would not press their pay demands.

As the time for renewing contracts entered into last Fall approaches there has been the usual talk of strike in certain quarters. It is because of this that the Rock Island settlement with one of the Big Four Brotherhoods is deemed of greater importance than the number of men affected might seem to indicate.

This report is the first hopeful one that has come since the carriers and Brotherhood officials started negotiations several weeks ago.

While railway officials here have said they believed adjustment probable, press dispatches from New York have indicated that negotiations had in many instances been abandoned. From this, it has been assumed, disputes naming the roads upon which no agreements were made would soon come before the United States Railroad Labor Board.

The train service employes, railway officials maintain, are not entitled to wage increases, since they were not hit by the general pay cut suffered by other labor groups July 1, 1922.

The Brotherhood men were reduced July 1, 1921. At that time they lost about half of what they had gained by the increase of May, 1920. They have demanded restoration of the 1920 pay scale.

New Counsel for Count Festetics.

An order substituting Charles H. Krieger for Israel Ellis as counsel for Count Rudolph Festetics was signed yesterday by Justice McCrate in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. Change of counsel was made in an action instituted by the Count against George A. Carden and Anderson T. Herd, of the firm of Carden & Herd, ship brokers, for $40,000, which he alleges is due him as commission on the sale of Austrian steamships in April, 1917.

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GEN. HALLER GREETS MEN HE LED IN WAR

Polish Leader, a Visitor Here, Leaves Officials to Lunch With Ex-Privates.

RECEIVED AT THE CITY HALL

A Crowd Welcomes Him There—He Says Peace With Russia Appears to Be Lasting.

General Josef Haller, Commander-in-Chief of the Polish Army during and since the war, who has been touring the United States for the last nine weeks as the guest of the American Legion, arrived at the Pennsylvania station yesterday, where he was greeted by officials of the city and American Legion and a committee of his countrymen living in this city. Escorted by a squad of motorcycle police, the party went to the Waldorf-Astoria, where an informal reception was held.

At noon General Haller went to City Hall, and a crowd of more than 1,000 greeted him as he walked with Commissioner Grover Whalen to the reception room, where Acting Mayor Hulbert welcomed him to the city. Colonel Henry D. Lindsley, Past Commander of the American Legion, greeted the visitor in the name of legionaires in this State. The party returned to the Waldorf-Astoria, where the General was the guest of honor at a luncheon arranged by the American Legion and Polish organizations.

General Haller is a rugged man of medium stature, whose most noticeable characteristics are an animation and sense of humor that made the problem of entertaining him seemingly easy. He has a mustache and stubby beard and a crop of black hair that stands straight up. Exceedingly democratic, he left the guest table, at which he sat with army officials and representatives of his Government, to eat part of the meal with a group of former privates in the Polish Army, who were present in their uniforms. He also found time to chat with Polish employes of the hotel who camped around the dining room to see him.

New Currency System.

In an interview General Haller said that Poland was about to introduce a new currency system which he believed would make his country one of the most economically stable nations of Europe.

"The Polish mark was an unwelcome heritage from the days of German occupation," he said, through an interpreter. "Germany made the Polish mark and then held Poland responsible for it. Poland is now studying and eventually will introduce a new system of finance and currency. The mark will then be retired and be replaced by a Polish standard with a unit approximating the Swiss mark and backed by gold."

"What do you think of the German reparation situation?" he was asked.

"After the war of 1871 France paid Germany her war debt, many citizens contributing their life's savings for the cause," he said, "and now Germany doesn't want to pay. Germany has banked her wealth in almost every country in the world, and says 'Yes, we have no bananas,' to borrow one of your American expressions. France is entirely justified in the steps she has taken."

Discussing Poland, he said his country's exports at present exceeded its imports, and that as a result foreign gold was pouring into the republic. Poland was manufacturing more textiles than it could use.

General Haller said that relations with Russia were good, and that he believed the treaty of peace concluded with the Soviet Government in 1920 would be observed by Russia.

Fears No Aggression.

"We do not fear aggression by Russia," he said. "It is true that Archbishop Ceplink is still a prisoner in Russia, despite our protests. This is a vital political problem, but there is no danger of it becoming an international problem between the two nations."

General Haller volunteered the statement that there was at present no race prejudice in Poland. The political parties in the order of their strength were the National Democratic, Christian Democratic, Populist (peasants), Socialist and Liberative. The Jews have forty members in the Polish Congress, distributed among various parties, he said.

"The Polish Constitution is for all," he said. "It is very liberal. There is no feeling against the Jews."

In the afternoon General Haller toured the city, ending his official program for the day by visiting the Red Cross Headquarters on Madison Avenue and the Dug-Out, 20 East Fifty-eighth Street, where he inspected the work done by the disabled ex-service men. Ambassador Wroblewski, Brig. Gen. William S. Graves and Colonel John J. Bradley were among those who greeted the Polish General at the Dug-Out. General Haller also placed a wreath on the tomb of General Grant.

Last night he was the guest of honor at a private dinner given by Commander Spofford of the American Legion at 14 East Sixty-third Street. This morning General Haller and his party will go to West Point.

Congressman Emanel Celler of the Tenth New York District telegraphed to the newspapers from Washington last night protesting against the reception accorded to General Haller.

QUEEN MARY LEADS EARLY SHOPPING FORCE

Gives London Christmas Trade a Brisk Start—Old Formalities Abandoned.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Queen Mary is doing her Christmas shopping early, and the British public is following suit. Consequently the Yuletide trade in London is two weeks' ahead of its last year's schedule and is exceedingly brisk.

In keeping with the changing times, the formality and pageantry that were once attendant upon the shopping trips of a royal personage have disappeared. Formerly the member of the royal house was surrounded by almost as much ceremony as in a State progress. Equerries appeared at the selected shop, red carpets were hurried out, a way was cleared and decorated and vehicles in the streets were moved away.

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Slips and Petticoats

Soft clinging satin makes a charming petticoat in light evening shades, for evening wear, $12.75

Radium and crepe de Chine in dark or light colors are used for practical slips, $5.95, $7.95, $9.75

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A silk jersey petticoat in both light and dark shades, for every wear, is finished with a fringe, $3.95

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Linen Crash in ivory white, from Belgium. For suits, frocks, children's clothes and household linens. 45 inches wide. Yard, 85c

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Silks

Radium silks in a range of colors and black and white. Suitable for lingerie, blouses, negligees or pajamas. 40 inches wide. Yard, $1.95

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Pajamas with sleeveless slip-on coat and wide trousers. Trimmed with tucking. Pink, orchid or peach. Sizes 15, 16, 17. $6.95

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FOR WOMEN

Sheer Silk

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$3.95 Very sheer, Pointex heel, fine gauge all silk, in blush, gunmetal, nude, French nude, silver, almond, noisette, grey 31, cinnamon, beige, caramel, black and other street and evening shades

Medium Weight Silk

$1.65 Medium weight silk with lisle soles and tops. Twenty-eight smart street and evening shades and black and white.

$1.95 Medium weight silk with plated foot, in smart street and evening shades.

$2.65 Medium weight silk with Pointex heels and plated soles. In new silver, nude, caramel, chestnut, autumn brown, gunmetal, A. and B. mouse, log cabin, sunburn, dark fawn, cordovan, grey 13 and other street and evening shades.

Openwork Clocks

$2.75 Medium weight silk with plated soles and four distinctive patterns of open clocks from which to choose. Smart street and evening shades as well as black and white.

$2.85 Sheer silk with plated foot. Paris clocks in two charming patterns. Blush, almond, noisette, freckles, sunburn, dawn, peach, beige, pearl and other street and evening shades.

$4.15 Medium weight all silk with Paris or wider open clocks and Pointex heels. Smart street and evening shades and black and white.

Outsize Silk

$2.95 Outsize silk with plated soles. Autumn brown, A. mouse, beige, silver, chestnut, gold, Mandalay, nude, flesh, gunmetal, new silver and other street and evening shades.

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$2.25 Silk and wool of soft smooth texture, in two-tone combinations, of camel and silver, and black and white, as well as solid beige, fawn, brown, otter, grey, new tan and black.

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$2.45 Clocked Half Hose—Black silk, with lisle toe and heel, and silk tops. The clocking is hand embroidered in self or white.

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Second Floor

English Plaid Robes made of extra fine quality medium-weight woolen cloth in striking plaid patterns. Shawl collar models finished with slash pockets, silk crepe cord trimming, silk-and-wool girdles. All sizes. 22.50

Men's Silk Lounging Robes well made in single, double breasted styles with notch—or shawl collars, and three-quarter length form fitting models. Draped and kimono effects. All the newest patterns and colors. Small and extra large sizes. 25.00

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Excellent Quality Silk Dressing Gowns in an extensive variety of patterns and colorings. Some have satin collars and beautiful colored linings, others are braided with satin and finished with black satin linings. All sizes.

50.00

Second Floor

Imported White Cashmere Mufflers are the finest of all for general wear. They come with polka dots or novelty figures. Wonderful values at

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Pure Brushed Wool Scarfs from Scotland, splendidly double knitted with plain or striped borders. Colors: camel, brown, green, blue, gray or natural. 54 inches long and 10 inches wide. 1.95

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The Felt Everette—an attractive slipper with comfy soles. In Oxford, brown, wine and blue.

1.75

The Felt Hylo comes with reversible plaid cuff and comfy soles. Oxford, military blue or brown to select from.

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Wool Leather Slippers that combine beauty with utility. Finished with warm fur cuffs.

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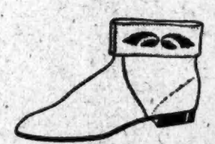
The Opera is a very comfortable little model, made of kidskin in black, brown, or golden tan. Kid lined throughout.

4.25

In red, purple, blue or wine, 4.75

The Romeo Slipper of black or golden tan kidskin has a smartly cut high tongue in front, and silk elastic goring at sides. Lined with kid.

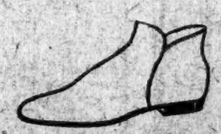
4.50



The Cavalier Boot Slipper is a very cosy model, made of golden tan kidskin with handsome cuff tops above the ankles finished with pretty design. Lined with kid. 5.50

The Everett Slipper is made of fine kidskin in brown or black, and is neatly finished with kid lining. 4.25

Drill lined, 3.50



The Faust is a very desirable slipper of golden tan kidskin, with kid lining. Comfort is written all over them.

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These Fine Scotch Plaid Cashmere and Pure Alpaca Wool Scarfs, 54 inches long and 10 inches wide, are both smart and correct in style. The cashmere scarfs in neat plaid effects are very light in weight yet as warm as toast. The alpaca scarfs are expertly double knitted with plain or striped borders. All colors.

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Pure Worsted Knit Vests with novel or plain fronts and four roomy pockets—all carefully tailored according to Saks & Company's strict specifications. Color combinations of camel, brown, green, lovat, blue, gray, and Oxford. Sizes 34 to 46.

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Sizes 48 and 50, 6.00

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Heavy "Jumbo" Coat Sweaters, knitted in pure worsted, *and finished carefully by hand.* Large roll collar models, full fashioned with two very convenient pockets. White, maroon, navy and buff. Sizes 34 to 46. 12.50

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Silk Kimonos tailored in those loose-fitting, comfortable models so much desired in a garment of this kind. Finished with contrasting satin collars, cuffs and pockets. All sizes.

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Dressing Robes of unusual distinction, exceptionally well made of imported French silks in a veritable host of patterns and colorings. All sizes. The general prevailing price around town is much higher for robes of this character.

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House Coats of very durable double faced woolen material with silk braid or cord trimming on collar or button cuffs and pockets. Finished with double silk frogs. All sizes and colors. 10.00

Fine Wool Smoking Jackets in shawl collar models with silk braid or silk cord trimming on collar, cuffs and pockets. Single or double frogs serve to accentuate their beauty. Splendid variety of colorings to choose from. Sizes 34 to 48.

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Smart Smoking Jackets, made of warm double faced wool cloth, with shawl or notch collars splendidly edged with silk braid. Finished with silk frog. Colors: gray, brown, wine and blue. All sizes including stouts.

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Camelaire Plaid Woolen Smoking Jackets, made with contrasting collars, cuffs and pockets of rich silk quilting. Very light in weight but extremely comfortable. Finished with silk braid trimming and two buttons. All sizes.

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KARDOS CONFESSES TO ASSUMED NAME

Admits He Traded in Brokerage House That Failed as H. C. Spivak.

ACCOUNTANT ON THE STAND

Testifies He Found Firm's Liabilities Were $1,704,277 and Its Assets $523,737.

Louis Montgomery Kardos of the brokerage firm of Kardos & Burke, which failed in February, 1922, admitted yesterday to Referee Peter B. Olney, in bankruptcy proceedings, that he maintained a personal trading account in the firm under the name of H. O. Spivak of Elizabeth, N. J. Kardos was examined by David W. Kahn, counsel for A. Barton Case, trustee for the firm, on a hearing in connection with objections to the discharge of the broker in bankruptcy.

"Why did you open the account in the name of Spivak?" asked Referee Olney, after Kardos had admitted that the account was opened with a personal check drawn by the witness.

"I did that to conceal from the bookkeeper that it was my account," replied Kardos. "I didn't want him to know the position I was taking in the market."

It had previously been alleged at the bankruptcy proceeding that there were seven active "dummy" accounts carried on the firm's books and about fourteen inactive accounts. Kardos was preceded on the witness stand by Bernard Reis, an accountant, who testified that completion of the examination of the firm's books revealed that the liabilities were $1,704,277.77, and the assets $523,737.02.

Among the assets, he said, were customers' debits of $180,641.51; office furniture valued at $68,000, securities worth $66,116.04; cash amounting to $62,586.76; $47,428.23 due from foreign banks; $29,937.80 worth of bonds pledged on a surety bond; equity in a Baltimore bank loan totaling $18,037.86, and $35,793.49 due from Marks & Graham.

Mr. Kahn charged that stocks which should have been on hand were not carried by the firm and were sold out through Kardos's personal trading account. The lawyer questioned Kardos about a statement by a jeweler that the witness owned three diamond rings, a gold watch and other jewelry; but Kardos declared the jewelry belonged to his father, former head of the firm and the Chicago manager at the time of the failure. He said that his father bought the jewelry about a month before the failure, as he was about to sail for Europe.

The hearing in the bankruptcy proceeding will be continued this afternoon.

HIT FARLEY ON JAW IN SHIP BOARD ROW

Commissioner Thompson Let His Fist Fly at Chairman When the Lie Was Passed.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Chairman Edward P. Farley, of the United States Shipping Board, and Frederic I. Thompson, one of the seven members of the board, figured in a fistic encounter in the board room in October, just prior to the departure of the Chairman for Europe, it became known today.

All members of the board were present and a question of policy was under discussion. The argument became lively and Chairman Farley, addressing Commissioner Thompson, is declared to have passed the lie direct.

Commissioner Thompson is from Alabama and the Chairman's words had hardly passed his lips when Mr. Thompson's fist landed squarely on his jaw. Members of the board intervened and there were apologies all around.

President Coolidge sent to the Senate yesterday the nominations of both Chairman Farley and Commissioner Thompson as members of the board.

CHICAGO BANKS TO MERGE.

National Republic and National City Directors Vote to Consolidate.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Consolidation of the National Bank of the Republic and the National City Bank of Chicago was voted this afternoon at a meeting of the Boards of Directors of the institutions. Stockholders must ratify the board action before the combination actually takes place. The new institution is to be known as the National Bank of the Republic, the announcement said.

Both banks have a capital of $2,000,000 and surplus of $1,000,000 each and the consolidated institution, with deposits of more than $86,000,000, would occupy fifth place in the Chicago banking field.

BLAKE'S "MILTON" IS SOLD.

Pickering and Chatto Pay £3,400 for Copy in London.

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—A copy of William Blake's "Milton, a poem in two books," was bought at Sotheby's today by Messrs. Pickering and Chatto for £3,400.

This literary treasure, it is understood, will go abroad. Three copies of the work are recorded, one in the British Museum, the second in the New York Public Library and the third in the Huntington collection.

Schatzsky Not Pickelny's Slayer.

Acting Captain Cornelius Willemse, head of the lower east side Detective Bureau, announced yesterday that Nathan Schatzsky, now in the psychopathic ward at Bellevue Hospital, has been eliminated as a suspect in the killing of five-year-old Irving Pickelny almost two months ago. Willemse said that Schatzsky's story that he smothered the boy in the cellar of 71 Suffolk Street was found to be untrue, as the man was at work in the Globe Leather Company, at 407 Broome Street, all that day.

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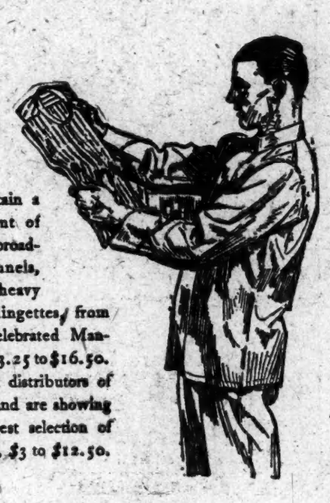

Our stores contain a splendid assortment of pajamas, in English broadcloths, Domet flannels, Clydella flannels, heavy silks and lustrous lingettes, from $1.95 up. The celebrated Manhattan Pajamas are $3.25 to $16.50. We are the largest distributors of Manhattan Shirts, and are showing the country's largest selection of fabrics and patterns, $3 to $12.50.

A sweater is a gift that never fails to please. Here is one that is made of soft, brushed wool, woven from fine worsted yarn. The colors are the smart camel shade of tan and a becoming pearl grey. The price is remarkably low for such fine quality—$4.95. We have dozens of other sweaters, imported and domestic, up to $25.

WOMEN shoppers by the thousand throng our stores every day. With true feminine intuition, they choose these stores as the best places to find "just what he wants." They know that a gift bearing our label is sure of a welcome reception. Our prices suit their ideas of what is moderate and just. And our service—speedy, courteous and efficient—enables them to do their Christmas shopping as quickly or as leisurely as they choose, with a minimum of strain upon the nerves.

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Imported Fibre Silk Mufflers	$3 to $7
Pure Silk Mufflers	Up to $16.50
Deerskin Leather Jackets	$13.50 and up
Silk Hosiery	75c and up
Shadowette Pajamas	$3.95
Rob Roy Sweaters	$10
Golf Hose	$2.50 to $10
Wooleather Slippers	$3.50
Cashmere Mufflers	$1.45 to $4
Capeskin Gloves	$2.65
Mocha Gloves	$4
Fur-lined Gloves	$8 to $12
Dress Jewelry	$3.65 to $22.50
Ripple Cloth Neckties	$1
Fashionknit Neckties	$2.50, $3, $3.50
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SHOT 'KID DROPPER' IN FEAR OF HIS LIFE

Gang Leader's Slayer Tells Jury Murder Followed a Glance of Hatred.

DENIES PLOT OF GUNMEN

Testifies That His Victim Had Tried to Extort $500 From Him—Tells of Shooting.

"Kid Dropper's" slayer took the witness stand in his own defense yesterday at his trial in Judge Talley's part of General Sessions on a first degree murder indictment, and told the jury that he was impelled to shoot the east side gang leader in front of the Essex Market Court last Summer because of a glance of hatred directed toward him a few minutes before, after the gang leader had been discharged from custody by the Magistrate.

"When he looked back at me as he was going into a taxicab outside the court," the slayer testified under cross-examination of Assistant District Attorney Brothers, "I knew from that look he meant to kill me."

The defendant had been indicted under the name of Louis Cohen, but when he took the witness stand he admitted that his name was Louis Kushner, and that he lived at the time of the killing with his parents, three brothers and a sister at 164 Seventh Street. Kushner declared that "Kid Dropper's" hatred for him was caused by the slain gang leader's attempt to extort $500 from him. He denied that the killing was the result of a plot by members of a band of rival gunmen.

Says Gangster Demanded $500.

He said that he first met "Kid Dropper," whose right name was Nathan Kaplan, about a year before the killing. "Kid Dropper" told him that he had been informed that Kushner was making a lot of money in the fur business and added, "I want you to come across with $500." The defendant said that he told the gang leader that he was not in the fur business and that he was earning only $9 a week in a laundry. "Kid Dropper" then ordered him to organize the laundry workers into a union, with the threat that failure to do so would result in the gang leader "getting me." He said that "Kid Dropper" told him that he could get the $500 through organizing the laundry workers. Because different persons had warned him of "Kid Dropper's" reputation as a bad man, he was in fear of his life.

Several hundred flashily dressed youths had congregated in the corridor outside the court and at the entrance of the Criminal Court Building before the trial was resumed, and detectives said that many of them were members of lower east side bands. Senator James J. Walker of counsel for Kushner, during his direct examination of the slayer placed in the record the names of eleven persons with whom his client testified he had had conversations before the killing, but when the lawyer sought to have Kushner relate the conversations Judge Talley sustained Assistant District Attorney Brothers's objection. It was understood that Senator Walker sought to prove by this line of examination that "Kid Dropper" was a frequent user of the pistol, the knife and the blackjack.

Prisoner Tells of Fear.

Kushner said that the day before the shooting Willie Silverman, a friend, told him that "Kid Dropper," in a conversation with Silverman, had stated that it was through Kushner's information to the police that "Kid Dropper" and a score of other men were arrested in an office in the Putnam Building on Broadway on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. "He told me that the Dropper said he would 'get' men," declared the accused youth, and I became so frightened that I went to a Turkish bath that night, but couldn't sleep. I went out and walked the streets, went back to the baths, but couldn't sleep, and the next day I went down to the court to see the 'Dropper' arraigned.

"I heard the Judge say 'discharged.' The 'Dropper' looked around at me when he reached the sidewalk, and I went behind the taxicab and began shooting."

The trial will be continued this morning.

KILLS HUSBAND AS HE EATS.

Wife Shoots Him Twice After an Alleged Quarrel Over a Woman.

Mrs. Elsie Gross, 23, yesterday shot and killed her husband, Irving, 32, while he was at breakfast in their apartment at 155 Audubon Avenue. The couple, according to the police, had quarreled over a woman.

Mrs. Gross fired two shots. The bullets struck her husband in the mouth. Gross ran to the hallway, where he collapsed. According to the police, his wife followed him, revolver in hand, and exclaimed: "I killed him because I loved him."

Mrs. Gross was taken to the West 152d Street Station. She became hysterical and was unable to tell her story. Later, she was taken before Assistant District Attorney Morgan A. Jones, who likewise failed to obtain a statement from her. A sister of Gross, Mrs. Rose Palmer, of 117 East 101st Street, told Mr. Jones that her sister-in-law had been jealous of her husband.

Mrs. Palmer said Gross had been employed as instructor in the athletic training quarters of Earl Liederman at 303 Broadway. She said he also worked at night as a letter carrier. Last Sunday, she declared, Mrs. Gross had followed her husband to the door of Mr. Liederman's offices, where she waited until the noon hour. On this occasion, Mrs. Palmer asserted, several women left the building, and, although Gross was not with them, he went to the restaurant where they were lunching.

Mrs. Gross was arraigned before Magistrate Frederick B. House in Homicide Court, charged with shooting her husband. She was held without bail for examination tomorrow.

COOLIDGE GIVES $1,000.

Follows Radio Tribute With Gift to Harding Memorial Fund.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Coolidge followed up his payment of tribute to President Harding, made last night in a radio address eulogizing the late Chief Executive, by a contribution today of $1,000 to the Harding Memorial Fund.

Bliss Again Heads Relief for Poor.

Cornelius N. Bliss Jr. was re-elected President of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor for the year 1923-1924 at the annual meeting of the Board of Managers yesterday. Other officers re-elected include Percy B. Pyne, Dwight W. Morrow, Albert G. Milbank, R. Fulton Cutting, Vice Presidents; George Blagden, Treasurer; Acosta Nichols, Secretary; George W. Wickersham, Counsel, and Bailey B. Burritt, General Director.

Lloyd George Committee Has $900.

The Citizens' Committee of Welcome to Lloyd George has wound up its affairs with a surplus of $900. Members of the committee are now being asked to approve turning over of this amount to the United Hospital Fund. R. A. C. Smith, Vice Chairman, said that the committee had distributed $265 as gratuities to the clerical forces of the Chamber of Commerce and his office who had served without compensation.

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Judge Knox Sustains Writ in Case of 12—Will Admit Others Also, Says Counsel.

LEFT HOME IN GOOD FAITH

Arrival of Refugees Should Not Cause Detention of Immigrants, Effect of Decision.

Writs of habeas corpus obtained by Maurice Zuckert and Isaac Siegel, counsel for twelve Russian immigrants detained at Ellis Island and facing deportation, were sustained yesterday, by a ruling of Federal Judge Knox. The decision not only admits those named in the writs, but probably will result in the admission of a large number of other Russians who were threatened with deportation, or with exile to Canada until next July, when the new quota begins.

Mr. Zuckert last night said that the situation is unusual, and that the action of the Court will save many Russian immigrants from much hardship.

"The Russian immigrants involved in the present proceedings arrived here Nov. 3, but were excluded because the Commissioner of Immigration decided the quota for the year had been exhausted by surplus admissions during July, August, September and October of many unexpected arrivals. The Commissioner explained that in July a Canadian Pacific liner was discovered in distress by a United States transport in the Pacific. On board the liner were 740 Russian refugees, who had escaped from Siberia and had worked their way to the Philippine Islands. They were rescued by the transport, which carried them to San Francisco.

"The Commissioner of Immigration decided that these refugees should be charged against the Russian quota. Their admission exceeded the regular Russian quota of 4,881. Later, in July, there were admitted 163 Russian immigrants who had left Japan before the earthquake and arrived in San Francisco some time after the earthquake. As it was impossible to return these immigrants to Japan, they were admitted by special permission of the Department of Labor. Then the Commissioner of Immigration decided not to admit any more Russian immigrants until July of next year, holding that because of the admission of the Russian refugees and the Russian immigrants from Japan the quota was exhausted.

"This decision held up the Russian immigrants who arrived here after the usual race to this harbor on Nov. 3. The decision of the Commissioner made it necessary to detain them at Ellis Island pending arrangements for their deportation. They were to be sent away on the White Star liner Olympic when the writs were obtained for those represented by me and Mr. Siegel, which resulted in holding them all until argument could be heard by the Court.

"After the argument yesterday morning Judge Knox said that it would be improper for the Commissioner of Immigration to charge against the quota for future months the refugees taken from a sinking ship, and those who could not be returned to Japan. He ordered the admission of the twelve for whom the writs had been obtained, and said that the order affected 816 others who were being detained at Ellis Island. The Court pointed out that an injury would be inflicted upon those Russian immigrants who had left Russia in good faith in October to be shut out because the United States had played the part of a humanitarian in aiding those other Russians who were refugees and those who could not be returned to Japan because of the earthquake there."

Mr. Zuckert said that the effect of the decision will be to admit all Russians now at Ellis Island who are able to pass the necessary tests.

DOUBT RED CROSS FUSION.

League of Societies and Geneva Body Not Expected to Agree.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The subcommittee appointed by the League of Red Cross Societies to study and draw up plans for a fusion between the league and the Geneva Red Cross Committee is understood to hold scant hope of accomplishment of this object. The members are meeting here tomorrow with the avowed purpose, it is said, rather to avoid further friction than to arrive at a fusion.

The committee, presided over by Dr. H. C. Dresselhuys of Holland, is composed of Colonel Robert E. Olds of the United States, M. Liebaut of France, Baron de Cederkrantz of Sweden, F. J. Urrutia of Colombia and Dr. Akil Moukhatar Bey of Turkey. It is charged with drafting a plan which will be presented for ratification at a meeting of the full commission of fifteen members appointed at Geneva last August, on which the Geneva organization is represented by Gustav Ador, former President of Switzerland.

Strengthened by what they deem the unqualified approval of the league by the recent Pan-American Conference of Red Cross Societies in Buenos Aires, the committee members, although approaching the question of fusion in a conciliatory spirit, are said to be resolved to make no further concessions on behalf of the league.

Whether accepted or refused by the Geneva committee, the documents drawn up will be sent to all national Red Cross societies which are members of the league for their consideration and report.

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LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Duke of Sutherland, in his capacity of Under-Secretary for Air, will depart tomorrow for the United States on an official visit to some of the American air stations, particularly those devoted to dirigible development.

For some time the Duke has been anxious to acquire first hand knowledge of the progress made in American aviation, and a program covering about a fortnight has been arranged with American authorities through Captain Christie, British Air Attaché at Washington. The Duke is hopeful that he may, through the courtesy of the American authorities, be able to make a flight in Shenandoah. He will discuss airship development generally with the Navy Department.

FAMILY SLAIN NEAR BERLIN.

Engineer Kills Wife and Children, Neighbor Commits Suicide.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—A couple of inches of lead piping has led to a tragedy involving the loss of five lives by murder and suicide in Berlin's industrial suburb, Pankow.

Johann Hausler, a locomotive engineer on the State railways, picked up the bit of lead intending to make a set of top soldiers for his small grandchild. He was summoned on the ground that the lead was State property and dismissed for misappropriation of material.

He felt the disgrace keenly and became morbid. One night he arose, shot his wife, daughter and son dead in their sleep and then committed suicide, leaving letters explaining the facts in the case.

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A price-cutting war among the offshore liquor traders is the latest development in the pre-holiday activities along Rum Row—the sector beyond the twelve-mile limit which liquor-laden ships use as an open market—according to reports from New Jersey towns. So keen is the competition that customers on rum-running motor dories, instead of trading at he most convenient ship in the knowledge that standard prices prevail, are "shopping" from one vessel to another.

The operations of the rum-runners have been facilitated by the spreading out of the big rum fleet, the larger part of which is off Atlantic Highlands. That part of the fleet is scattered over a distance of about twenty-five miles. While the lone revenue cutter on guard for smugglers is cruising at one end of the fleet, the rum-runners are doing their buying at the other end. Since it takes about two hours for the cutter to cover the whole sector, the motor dories are able to load the liquor and make for shore before the cutter returns.

The operations of the rum-runners were somewhat curtailed yesterday, as a result of strong winds. With calmer weather prevailing, the rum-runners are expecting to be out in force to get all that remains of the 190,000 cases of liquor that were reported to be on the vessels. Under cover of darkness, the rum-carriers are not finding it difficult to evade the customs guard.

Contraband Scotch whisky is said to be selling along the New Jersey coast for at least $10 less than it was a year ago. The current price is now $50 a case, according to reports.

The release of the Dutch schooner Zeehond, seized as a rum ship on Saturday off Fire Island, was demanded yesterday by a representative of the Dutch Consulate, appearing before Henry C. Stuart, Assistant Collector of the Port. The ship had on board $250,000 worth of wines, which the Captain declared was consigned to Halifax. Collector Stuart reserved decision.

LEADS IN LIQUOR ARRESTS.

New York and New Jersey Area Reports 745 in November.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The second area, comprising New York and part of New Jersey, of which R. Q. Merrick is divisional chief, led all others in the number of cases developed during November by the mobile force of general agents, according to a report submitted to Commissioner Haynes today. There were 808 cases, 866 prosecutions recommended and 745 arrests in this area, resulting in taxes and penalties being recommended in the amount of $205,665.25.

The next area was the fourteenth, comprising part of Pennsylvania and part of New Jersey, of which R. B. Sams is divisional chief, there being 376 cases, 808 arrests and 81 prosecutions, with taxes and penalties assessed amounting to $142,225.46. In the fourth area, comprising Maryland, Delaware, West Virginia and the District of Columbia, of which H. M. Luckett is divisional chief, there were 212 cases, 195 arrests and 181 prosecutions, taxes and penalties reaching $64,565.06.

During November there were in the entire country 735 cases involving permits, twelve of which were breweries. In the New York division there were 253 permit cases and in the fourteenth 216.

Arrests made by the mobile forces throughout the country during the month numbered 1,545, and 1,660 prosecutions were recommended. The amount of taxes and penalties assessed was $564,518.70.

STATE TO INTERVENE IN ROTHENBERG CASE

Governor Asked to Supercede Greene County District Attorney in Boy Murder Inquiry.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 11.—State intervention in the Greene County Grand Jury investigation of the murder of seven-year-old Howard Rothenberg at Windham last August developed today, when Governor Smith declared he intended to have Attorney General Sherman confer with Jonah Goldstein, attorney, of New York.

In a letter which the Governor received today, Mr. Goldstein urged that the Attorney General take charge of the case. He asked that District Attorney Coffin of Greene County by superseded.

The investigation by the District Attorney closed abruptly yesterday. Mr. Coffin said today he was not worried over the outcome of the matter, and declared he had collected all the evidence it was possible to obtain. The Grand Jury will report to Justice Howard Friday.

The sudden close of the Grand Jury inquiry came as a surprise. Anna Sobin, nurse girl to the murdered boy; Sheriff Albert W. Pierce and his deputy, William A. Connelly, and Assemblyman Ellis W. Bentley of Windham had testified when the inquiry was halted. The appearance of Mr. Bentley was unexpected and the nature of his knowledge of the case is a mystery here.

Mr. Coffin refused to allow Detective John J. Leary of Newark to testify on the ground that he was only a character witness.

Mrs. Rothenberg and her attorney charge that race prejudice figured in the investigation, and that she and Edward W. Lackey, her sister's Greene County attorney, have received threatening letters from the Ku Klux Klan.

CHOSEN BY YALE SOCIETIES.

22 New Yorkers Are Selected for Junior Fraternities.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 11.—Elections to Yale's junior fraternities were announced today by the class of 1926. The New York men selected were:

Alpha Delta Phi—William Ghilman Low; seconds, Gifford Cochran Ewing, Nelson Holland, Howard Thayer Kingsbury.

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Zeta Psi—Archibald Douglas Jr., Lewis Varick, Friesel Ashbel Green Jr., Charles Sherman Haight Jr., Norman von Paul Schwab, Seth Sprague Perry.

Alpha Chi Rho—Arthur John Basin.

Aosta's Condition Still Critical.

TURIN, Italy, Dec. 11.—The visit of King Victor Emmanuel to the bedside of his cousin, the Duke of Aosta, who is suffering from pneumonia, was of an affectionate nature, although very brief. In accordance with the doctor's instructions. The Duke's condition after the King's departure was slightly improved, but still most serious.

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MUSEUM REPORTS ON PHARAOH'S TOMB

Metropolitan Surveys Discoveries That Staff Made in Tut-ankh-Amen Excavations.

RESTORATION IS DIFFICULT

Many of Objects Are in Poor Condition and Will Require Skillful Treatment.

An authentic account of the work done at the tomb of Tut-ankh-Amen in the Valley of the Kings by members of the Egyptian staff of the Metropolitan Museum of Art was made public yesterday by Edward Robinson, Director of the Museum. Important discoveries in the Metropolitan's concession in the Theban Necropolis, including a series of granite statues of the bearded Queen Hatshepsut of the XVIII. dynasty, who adopted a king's garb to justify her attempt to rule in her own right against the custom of her ancient people, are described in the announcement from the Museum.

Other antiquities included the mummies of two tattooed dancing girls, and another of a little dancing girl in faience showing the same tattoo designs that decorated the ancient human skins; 4,000 scarabs; sketches on flakes of limestone from the temple of Deir El-Bahri, XVIII dynasty; an unfinished platter made of the bas-reliefs in the tomb of Khety of the XI. dynasty when commercialism invaded the sacred confines of the tomb because of the excellence of the sculptured stone for making Egyptian dinner plates; a whip handle of "The Sailor of Senmut, Nebiri," who probably used the lash upon the backs of his sailors as they toiled up the hill from the river to Queen Hatshepsut's temple dragging the enormous blocks of granite brought from Assuan by boat; scent bottles from the tomb of the Mayor Yuy, who is dated somewhere between the XII. and the XIII. dynasties; a granite altar from the tomb of Khety, master-spinner, who supplied the linen for the King's harem in the X. dynasty, and sculptured records of the Egyptians of 4,000 years ago.

Experts Now Aiding Carter.

The Metropolitan Museum of Art announces that the members of its Egyptian Expedition have now all returned to the scenes of their excavations, and that those members who were designated for the late Lord Carnarvon's expedition at the Tomb of Tut-ankh-Amen have resumed their work with Howard Carter.

Evidence was not lacking to connect the name of Tut-ankh-Amen with that part of the Valley of the Kings where his tomb was found, according to Arthur C. Mace of the Metropolitan Egyptian staff, who rendered first aid to Lord Carnarvon's workers.

Mr. Mace tells of the long search for the tomb, of the decision of Lord Carnarvon to start excavating elsewhere after two more months, of the discovery and of the photographing of the treasures, which was the first work. Describing his own share of the work, which was confined largely to the laboratories, he says:

"Obviously, in dealing with this enormous mass of material, it was impossible to attempt anything in the shape of final restoration notes. We had neither the time nor the space, even had the necessary plant been available, and all we could hope to do was to make a preliminary series of notes and render such first-aid as was required to make the objects fit to travel.

"Years of work lie ahead of us and it will need all our patience and the cooperation of a number of skilled workmen if the fullest possible use is to be made of the wonderful opportunity that has presented itself. Restoration work of the most drastic character will be necessary owing to the condition to which some of the objects have been reduced.

"These restorations are not only legitimate but absolutely essential to a proper appreciation and study of the material. By their means you acquire complete objects, things of beauty in themselves, and of enormous archaeological value; without restorations you would have gained nothing but a large boxful of beads, a few pieces of ill-preserved cloth and a number of meaningless shells of gold decoration, things of but small archaeological value and from an artistic point of view of no value at all.

"The most exciting of the laboratory tasks was the unpacking of the boxes and caskets, for owing to the confused nature of their contents, you could never be certain of anything, and at any moment, tucked away in a corner or concealed in the fold of a garment, you might come across a magnificent scarab or piece of jewelry or a wonderful statuette. The jumble was amazing, the most incongruous things being packed together, and for some time we were completely in the dark as to its meaning. The explanation, as we worked it out later, is as follows:

Outline Plunder Theory.

"Some ten or fifteen years after the burial of the king, plunderers had contrived to tunnel their way into the tomb and had made a hurried and ruthless search for treasure that was portable, ransacking the boxes and throwing their contents all over the floor. Then probably while the plunderers were still at work, the officials responsible for the safe-keeping of the royal necropolis got wind of the affair and came post-haste to investigate. Some of the thieves made good their escape—the faience cup beneath the rock which we referred to above was probably hidden by one of them—but others were evidently either caught on the spot or apprehended later with the loot still in their possession. Then came the question of making good the damage, and a hurried and perfunctory job the officials seem to have made of it. No attempt was made to resort the material or pack the objects back into the boxes that were originally intended for them. Instead they were gathered up in handfuls and bundles and hastily crammed into the nearest box. As a result we get the most incongruous mixtures, walking-sticks and underlinen, jewelry and faience vases, headrests and robes of state.

"From the point of view of our laboratory work it would have been far better if the contents of the boxes had been left lying as the thieves had scattered them. As repacked they were extraordinarily difficult to handle, and one had to exercise constant care lest in removing an object from an upper layer, one did some damage to a still more valuable object which lay beneath. Nor was it always possible to remove one single piece at a time, for in the sweeping-up process a number of the objects inevitably became tangled and interfolded, with the result that in some cases three or four garments were so hopelessly involved that they had to be treated as one. What this meant in dealing with heavily decorated robes, of which the actual cloth was in such bad condition that it could not even be touched, and when the only chance of working out the size and shape was by noting the exact scheme of decoration, will more readily be comprehended when I explain that it took three weeks of hard work to clear a single box."

Vengeful Scotch Reds Join Drys.

GREENOCK, Scotland, Dec. 11.—In reprisal for the defeat of their candidate in the election here, the Communists have joined forces with the no-license party and threaten to make the town dry at tomorrow's local veto poll. The members of the temperance party are jubilant.

VANDERBILT SUES 'IDLE HOUR' BUYERS

Son of William K. Says Only $50,000 Has Been Paid on Old Family Estate.

PROMOTERS PLANNED CLUB

Were to Transform Mansion on Which Millions Were Spent Into Luxurious Resort.

RIVERHEAD, L. I., Dec. 11.—The collapse of a plan to convert Idle Hour, the estate laid out at Oakdale by the late William K. Vanderbilt, into one of the most luxurious country clubs in America is disclosed in foreclosure proceedings brought by Harold S. Vanderbilt in Suffolk County Court against Idle Hour, Inc., of 65 Cedar Street, New York. According to the papers, the development company has since January, 1922, the date when the bond and mortgage was enacted, paid only $50,000 on the purchase price of $440,000. Vanderbilt seeks to recover $5,154 fire insurance premiums and $15,704 in taxes, which he says he was compelled to pay on the property.

Idle Hour, which Harold Vanderbilt inherited from his father, William, covers 711 acres. It was said that millions had been spent on the brick and marble mansion which replaced one destroyed by fire.

Named as codefendants with Idle Hour, Inc., are James Johnson and Charles Stehlik, with offices also at 65 Cedar Street, who agreed Dec. 20, 1923, to buy the estate. No initial payment was made, but in the mortgage agreement signed the following month a system of payment instalments was agreed upon, according to Mr. Vanderbilt. They were as follows: July, 1922, $50,000; October, 1922, $60,000; October, 1923, $150,000, and the balance, $180,000, by October, 1924. All payments were to bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum. It is claimed that the company paid only the first instalment of $50,000.

The papers further say that Mr. Vanderbilt was compelled to pay fire insurance premiums totaling $5,154 and $15,704 when the property was put up for sale in November, 1922, for unpaid taxes. In case the foreclosure sale does not reimburse Mr. Vanderbilt for these and other expenses he seeks a deficiency judgment against the defendants.

Anderson & Anderson of 15 Broad Street, Manhattan, for years counsel for the Vanderbilt family, are acting in the proceedings.

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TALKS TO HIS HOME IN FRANCE BY RADIO

Senator Dupuy, on Eve of Leaving America, Sends Voice Over Ocean.

HIS CHILDREN LISTENING IN

Paris Reports Hearing Voice of Speaker Faintly—Weather There Unfavorable.

In the hope his words were being heard in France, Senator Paul Dupuy, publisher of Le Petit Parisien and other French newspapers, talked in his native tongue from WJY, the Radio Corporations station, by radio last night. WGY, the General Electric Company's station at Schenectady, broadcast the speech by a different wave length over land wires to the New York station. After spending six weeks in this country, Senator Dupuy sails today on the Paris.

News of the broadcasting had been sent to French amateurs, of whom perhaps the most eager to hear the speech were the newspaper owner's three children, who are ardent radio "fans." They cabled him yesterday morning that they would tune in for their father's words. He spoke at 10 o'clock, which was 3 o'clock this morning in Versailles, the publisher's home. Late last night the father was awaiting news that his children had heard him.

Although the broadcasting station announced that it was the first attempt to link France with the United States by radio, Senator Dupuy declared that amateurs occasionally have picked American musical programs from the air. The transmission, however, was never clear.

"We will soon be speaking from Paris to New York with the same facility as one now speaking from Versailles to Paris," Senator Dupuy said. "Not only will commercial relations be benefited by this but it is evident that this connection of the old nations of Europe with the young American nation opens up magnificent horizons. Across oceans, the great countries of the world will be in constant communication, and distances for the exchange of ideas and different points of view will be almost completely eliminated."

In speaking of the welcome that had been extended to him here the publisher said:

"The sentiment of the American people for France has not changed. In all the cities that I visited I have been made to feel that the profound affection for France has not diminished."

The Senator was the guest of honor yesterday at a luncheon given by the Association of Foreign Press Correspondents at the Lawyers Club. W. W. Davies, President of the club, presided, and Herbert S. Houston, publisher of Our World, and Sir Herbert Morgan, British advertising man, were speakers.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—The voice of Senator Paul Dupuy, broadcast by radio from New York, was heard here early this morning but his words could not be understood. Listeners, with their wireless sets all tuned up to obtain the best possible results, caught faint sounds of the speaker's voice. Those sitting in at the office of the Petit Parisien declared they recognized the voice of M. Dupuy, who is the proprietor of the newspaper, but said they could not distinguish his utterances.

Lack of better success is attributed to an extraordinary pall of fog blanketing Paris.

CITY RADIO FUND DELAYED.

Whalen Pleads for $50,000 Plant in Park Before Aldermen.

Grover A. Whalen, Commissioner of Plant and Structures, appeared before the Board of Aldermen yesterday and requested an appropriation of $50,000 with which to install and equip a municipal broadcasting station in Central Park without public letting. The Democratic Aldermen were inclined to favor the project, but defect in the report of the Committee on Public Letting sent it back to that body for correction.

Alderman William T. Quinn, Republican, opposed the broadcasting plan in the Park on the ground that a bad precedent would be established.

"It would ultimately mean the encroachment by others on Central Park property," he said.

Commissioner Whalen, in arguing for the appropriation, charged that a monopoly exists in the radio field. He also said the efforts of his department to establish a broadcasting station on the Municipal Building at Elmhurst, were unsuccessful because of a change of attitude on the part of the contracting companies. The Central Park site was finally decided upon, he said, as it eliminated the objectionable features of the other proposed sites.

"The city owns and absolutely controls all of the apparatus of its broadcasting station," said Mr. Whalen. "The city will save at this site, in comparison with that at Elmhurst, the sum of $12,676 the first year and $7,776 each succeeding year in maintenance charges. It is believed the electrical advantages of this site are far superior to those of any station operating within the city limits.

"It is because of the chaotic conditions in the radio field that I am forced to request the expenditure of this fund without public letting. In so doing I feel that the city's interest will best be protected against those who are seeking, if they have not already obtained, complete control of the air."

Today's Radio Program

DEC. 12, 1923.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
Numerals after names of stations show wave length in meters.

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.
11:00 A. M.—Music.
11:10 A. M.—Talk.
11:30 A. M.—Talk by William McAndrew.
11:50 A. M.—Market reports.
12:00 Noon—Columbia University chapel service with organ and male chorus; address by Chaplain Raymond Knox.
12:20 P. M.—Market reports.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Helen Gregory, soprano; Anna Epstein, piano; Ellen Campbell, piano.
5:00 P. M.—Christmas program for children.
7:00 P. M.—Religious services by the United Synagogue of America.
7:20 P. M.—Sport talk.
7:40 P. M.—Bella Girard, contralto.
7:50 P. M.—"Why Is a Food Manufacturer," by Searle Mowat.
8:00 P. M.—Florence Gilmour, soprano; Bella Girard, contralto.
8:30 P. M.—"Business Wreckers," by T. Davidson Brown.
8:40 P. M.—Choir of St. John's Church of Yonkers.
9:10 P. M.—Tollefsen Trio.
9:30 P. M.—"Choosing a Vocation," by C. M. Smith.
9:45 P. M.—Choir of St. John's Church of Yonkers.
10:10 P. M.—Tollefsen Trio.
10:30 P. M.—"What Books to Choose as Gifts for Grown-Ups," by Herbert Askowith.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455.
1:00 P. M.—Recital by Louis Dworkin, tenor.
3:15 P. M.—Readings from "Peer Gynt," by Georgy Auerbach.
3:30 P. M.—Louis Dworkin, tenor.
3:45 P. M.—Six Musical Buddies.
4:00 P. M.—"The Home Beautiful," by Dorothy Walsh.
4:15 P. M.—Six Musical Buddies.
4:30 P. M.—Hotel Commodore Orchestra.
5:30 P. M.—Market reports; closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange; foreign exchange quotations; steel and iron reports; news.
7:00 P. M.—"Two Christmas Trees," by Florence Vincent.
7:30 P. M.—Jesse P. Robinson, bass.
7:20 P. M.—"The Progress of the World," a talk.
8:00 P. M.—Dorothy Cooper, piano.
8:15 P. M.—Jesse Robinson, bass.
8:30 P. M.—Address, by Ferdinand Pecora.
8:45 P. M.—Dorothy Cooper, piano.
9:00 P. M.—United States Army Night; address by Colonel William N. Haskell; musical program.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals, weather forecast.
10:00 P. M.—United States Army program.

WHN, NEW YORK—360.
2:15-2:30 P. M.—Popular songs.
2:30-3:15 P. M.—Orchestra concert.
3:45-4:30 P. M.—Popular songs; piano solos.
4:30-5:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
7:30-8:00 P. M.—Clover Gardens Orchestra.
8:00-8:30 P. M.—Classical music.
8:30-8:40 P. M.—"Discovery of America," by Johannes Josefson.
8:40-11:15 P. M.—Popular songs; piano selections.
11:15-12:00 P. M.—Marshland Orchestra; talk by S. J. Kaufman.

WRW, TARRYTOWN—273.
7:30-8:15 P. M.—Music; acrograms; news; bedtime story.
8:15-10:30 P. M.—Music; address; Westchester County police reports; music.

WOR, NEWARK—405.
4:00-6:00 A. M.—Long distance test.
2:30 P. M.—Russell Madden, tenor.
2:45-3:15 P. M.—"Playwright, as a Field for Women," by Alice Ives.
3:15 P. M.—Russell Madden, tenor.
3:30-4:00 P. M.—Popular songs.
4:15 P. M.—Talk by Santa Claus.
6:20 P. M.—Piano recital.
6:45 P. M.—Piano recital.
8:00 P. M.—Hazomir Choral Society.
8:45-9:30 P. M.—Dancing lesson; Vernon Orchestra.
9:30-11:00 P. M.—Pullman Porters' Band; Saxophone Quartet; vocal quartet.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.
10:00 A. M.—Housewives' program; music.
1:00-3:10 P. M.—Orchestra; weather report.
7:00 P. M.—Weather report.
7:30 P. M.—Same program as WEAF.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—273.
12:10 P. M.—Weather forecast; Colonial Orchestra.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Orchestra concert; bedtime story; weather forecast; police reports.

WSAD, PROVIDENCE—261.
2:30-4:00 P. M.—Musical program.
8:15 P. M.—Honolulu Four, vocal and instrumental.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—337.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather reports; Boston and Springfield market reports.
6:00 P. M.—WBZ Quintet.
7:00 P. M.—Talk, "Broadcasting"; humor.
7:30 P. M.—Bedtime story; "Our Breakfast Eggs," by S. C. Hood.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals.
11:00 P. M.—Mary Bagg, soprano; WBZ Quintet.

WGI, MEDFORD, MASS.—360.
12:00 M.—Phonograph.
12:40 M.—Weather forecasts.
12:45 P. M.—Farmers' produce market report.
5:30 P. M.—Closing stock market reports; live stock market reports; world market survey.
6:10 P. M.—Code practice.
6:35 P. M.—Boston police reports.
6:40 P. M.—Late news; sports.
6:50 P. M.—Message to Camp Fire Girls.
7:15 P. M.—Humor.
7:20 P. M.—"Science Up to Date," talk.
8:30 P. M.—"Books as Gifts," talk; music.

WNAC, BOSTON—476.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather reports.
12:02 P. M.—Stock market quotations.
12:15 P. M.—King's Chapel services.
1:00-2:00 P. M.—Colonial Orchestra; organ and piano.
4:00-5:00 P. M.—Orchestra; phonograph; organ.
5:00 P. M.—Stock quotations.
6:00 P. M.—Children's stories and music.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA—509.
11:00 A. M.—Organ recital.
11:30 A. M.—Weather forecast.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Tearoom orchestra.
5:15 P. M.—Grand organ; trumpets; Christmas carols.
5:30 P. M.—Sports; police reports.
7:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
8:15-9:30 P. M.—Humor; orchestra; F. X. Hartman, baritone.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals.
10:02 P. M.—Weather forecast.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—509.
1:30 P. M.—Weather report.
3:00 P. M.—Vocal solos.
6:00 P. M.—Weather forecast; dance music.
7:00 P. M.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories; roll call.

WDAR, PHILADELPHIA—395.
12:06-2:45 P. M.—Organ recital; Arcadia Orchestra.
2:00-3:00 P. M.—Orchestra; vocal soels; talk.
4:30-5:55 P. M.—Music; talk.
7:30 P. M.—Dream Daddy.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Philomel Chorus.
12:00 P. M.-2:30 A. M.—Dance orchestra; songs.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
9:30 A. M.—Chorus and vocal solos.
10:15 A. M.—Market reports.
1:00 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
1:50 P. M.—Agricultural report.
3:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos.
6:30 P. M.—Meyer Davis Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Talk by Santa Claus.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
11:58 A. M.—Time signals.
12:30 P. M.—Stock market report.
12:40 P. M.—Produce market report.
12:45 P. M.—Weather report.
6:00 P. M.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins
6:30 P. M.—Adventure story.

WMAK, LOCKPORT—266.
12:00 M.—Weather forecast.

WGR, BUFFALO—319.
10:45 A. M.—Weather report.
12:00 M.—Weather and market reports.
12:30 P. M.—Organ recital.
2:30 P. M.—Chicago Board of Trade closing prices.
3:30 P. M.—Closing prices New York Stock Exchange.
4:00 P. M.—Tea-time music.
5:00 P. M.—Weather; daily reports.
6:30 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—News.
9:00 P. M.—Auto Club Orchestra; vocal solos.
10:45 P. M.—Weather forecast.
11:00 P. M.—Vincent Lopez Orchestra.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326.
9:45 A. M.—Union Live Stock Market report.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Market reports; weather forecast; music.
6:30 P. M.—Orchestra concert.
7:30 P. M.—Literary program.
7:45 P. M.—Children's period.
8:00 P. M.—Market reports.
8:13 P. M.—Address.
8:30 P. M.—Vocal quartet and solos.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast.

NAA, ARLINGTON, VA.—448.
10:05-10:20 A. M.—Weather reports.
2:45-4:00 P. M.—Weather reports.
10:05-10:20 P. M.—Weather reports.

WCX, DETROIT—517.
6:00 P. M.—Orchestra.
8:30 P. M.—Musical program.

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10:15 P. M.—Musical program.

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9:00-10:30 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; agricultural talk.

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8:00 P. M.—Aberge's Ensemble.
12:00 P. M.—Dance music.

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1:30-3:00 A. M.—Hickman's Orchestra.

WSB, ATLANTA—429.
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WHAS, LOUISVILLE—400.
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WILLING TO TAKE PART.

On Oct. 15, Secretary HUGHES assured Lord CURZON that "the Government of the United States is entirely willing to take part in an economic conference in which all the European Allies chiefly concerned in German reparations participate." This condition has now been met, and the State Department makes the welcome announcement that it favors the plan of adding American experts to the committees working under the Reparation Commission. The object of their inquiry, as now defined, is not precisely that which Secretary HUGHES at first proposed. Neither is it in the exact form which M. POINCARE urged in his note to the American Government. There is, for example, no haggling now about Germany's "present" capacity to pay. No time limit to the investigation is fixed; but its whole scope is so great and its importance promises to be so large that our Government wisely puts aside all minor objections and agrees to the desirability of having American experts on each of the two committees suggested by M. POINCARE. In his plan all the allied Governments concur, and even the German Government has expressed its desire that Americans should take part in the work; so that the invitation comes in so united and pressing a form that the United States could not decline it without seeming ungracious or even churlish.

It would be small-minded to dispute at this time over the question which side has won a diplomatic victory. Whichever it was, or if neither won it, is of the smallest consequence compared with the fact of an agreement reached at last. No possible harm to anybody can result from Americans taking a share in this business, and much good may be done. Good has been done already, in fact, by this notification to the world that America is sincerely anxious to do something to help Europe get fully on her feet again.

THE COOLIDGE CAMPAIGN.

President COOLIDGE has given his party and the country a cardinal and inescapable issue. Government must spend less, and take less from the taxpayers. Stumbling under a heavy pack of taxes, local, State and national, the taxpayers welcome this lightening of their burden; and everybody is paying taxes, whether the tax bills come to his house or not. Mr. COOLIDGE shows the way to improve business and to help the high cost of living. At first the politicians were dazed and refractory. Public opinion was soon too much for them. Now even Mr. BRYAN, stepping for a moment out of the habitual fog that screens him from realities, admits that taxation will be the prime issue, though he immediately steps back and proposes to cut down Government expenditures by increasing them and to relieve taxation by imposing new taxes.

As the chief representative of the chief national policy, to be determined by this Congress or to be submitted to the voters next year, Mr. COOLIDGE is the sole candidate whom the Republican Party can consider, if it is resolved to make a serious effort to commend itself to popular sentiment. He has made himself its leader. He has given it its one chance of success. If candidates representing mere personal ambitions or reminiscences of extinct movements and issues are to try their luck in the Presidential preference primaries, it is all the more necessary for Mr. COOLIDGE and his friends to seek delegates in the eighteen States which make use of this machinery—in 1920 so rich, in some cases, in curious and almost comic results. Wherever the primary laws permit, the will of the majority of Republicans without the interjection of Democrats, Socialists or other welcome guests of some too hospitable primaries, should be made known. It would not be so made known, it would be manipulated, adulterated or contradicted, if Mr. COOLIDGE were to stand apart, held back by some fiction of "dignity" and let the managers and the "angels" of less modest aspirants have their way.

Mr. COOLIDGE has made the issue. He is the man to see it through. There are politicians enough in his own party who have no love for him or his clear and straightforward program. Leaving out of consideration the Progressive-Radical bloc and its procession of fantastic proposals, the mass of the people are eagerly welcoming the effective relief which he offers. So the Republicans, the very "rank and file" that HIRAM JOHNSON has always on his lips, may be expected to hail Mr. COOLIDGE'S candidacy. Whatever his fortunes with the present Congress, in the preference primaries, in the National Convention, he carries the one Republican hope, whether to victory or to honorable defeat.

THE LENROOT SUBSTITUTE.

Senator LENROOT of Wisconsin was in favor of joining the League of Nations with reservations, and now is in favor of our entering the World Court, provided he is allowed to make a new door by which to get in. The resolution which he offered in the Senate on Monday, and which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations, is no doubt seriously intended by its author, but in some of its provisions it seems almost amusing. Such care has to be taken not even to admit that the League of Nations exists! Such ingenious devices must be resorted to in order to make it appear that we have made the World Court all over before we would have anything to do with it!

At present the Judges of the World Court are elected by the League of Nations. Mr. ROOT, who had more to do with establishing the Court than any other American, or perhaps than any single foreigner, has repeatedly made it plain that there never could have been an agreement on the mode of choosing Judges had not the machinery of the League been ingeniously made use of to bring the large nations in the Council and the small nations in the Assembly together in a harmonious plan. Senator LENROOT'S substitute is obviously drawn in view of this fact. But he thinks that Americans cannot be brought to do business with the Council, so he proposes to give it another name and call it "Group A." Likewise the Assembly is to be got rid of by naming it hereafter "Group B." And instead of the election being at Geneva, through the members of the League, it is to be at The Hague, through the Ambassadors and Ministers of the nations there represented. All this is so palpably a whipping of the devil round the stump as to make one wonder how a public man of Mr. LENROOT'S ability could engage in it with a grave face. Still harder is it to understand how he could expect all the other nations to tear up the constitution of the World Court and make it over so as to suit Americans by giving each old thing a new name to make it smell sweeter to our nostrils.

Senator LENROOT is an Administration man, and it is natural for the Washington correspondents to assume that his resolution has the full approval of President COOLIDGE. But this must be a mistake. In his message to Congress Mr. COOLIDGE urged the Senate to adopt the method of joining the World Court which was "pending." This meant the form of adhesion to the protocol of the Court as drafted by Secretary HUGHES and endorsed by President HARDING. In that there was none of the attempt to squirm away from the facts so comically visible in Senator LENROOT'S substitute. With a safe door into the World Court plainly before us, it is not to be supposed that the President would favor knocking a hole in the cellar wall and climbing in that way.

IMPROVING SIXTH AVENUE.

Getting rid of the elevated railway on Sixth Avenue, and building a subway under it, should not be considered a matter of concern only to the abutting owners. They are said to be willing to be assessed for the cost. This may be much greater than the estimated $20,000,000. But the area of assessment could be extended. There are also formidable engineering difficulties to overcome. But the whole plan is to be considered with due regard to the need and worth of the great improvement proposed. Long ago the conviction became general that ultimately all the elevated railways will have to be taken down.

Happily, the policy of obstruction by city officials seems to have ceased. Borough President MILLER addresses the Board of Estimate regarding the Sixth Avenue improvement because the subject is already before it. In due course he will approach the Transit Commission, supported, it may be hoped, by the board's readiness to do its share toward creating a new north and south highway which is as urgently needed for the city's accommodation as is shelter for the city's population. Housing and transit are so closely related that the ease of circulation of traffic on and under the streets will go far to reduce the difficulty of access to cheap land, and thus reduce rents by multiplication of houses of the sort wanted.

Substituting a subway for the elevated would increase the number of passengers on the Sixth Avenue route, particularly if the Transit Commission links it into the subway lines now under modification. Taking the elevated posts out of Sixth Avenue would both enlarge the surface traffic and speed it up. There is the possibility of creating another sightly and capacious avenue where now we have one offensive to eye and ear, crowded and dangerous, and retarded in development.

STRONG IN NEGATION.

The letter of the Council of the League of Nations to our Department of State in the matter of restricting traffic in arms is a model of courtesy. But its civility only accentuates the abruptness of the note which evoked it. In September, 1919, this correspondence began. It had its origin in the protocol of St. Germain, in which the name of the United States of America led all the rest. The preamble started: "Whereas the long war, now ended," and to its twenty-six articles forty-eight names were subscribed, beginning with those of FRANK L. POLK, HENRY WHITE and TASKER BLISS.

This convention, framed with the co-operation of the American Peace Commission as an "adequate solution" of the arms traffic question on a "world-wide basis," was, however, not ratified by the United States. This fact, as the Acting President of the League Council last May politely explained, put an end to all hopes of ratification by the other chief arms manufacturing Powers. Yet a letter was addressed in November of 1922 by the League Council to the Government of the United States in the desire to find a way of co-operation. This letter we "were good enough" to answer in June, 1923, assuring the Council of cordial sympathy with efforts to restrict the traffic, but adding that we were unable to approve the provisions of the convention.

The next letter from the Council stated the desire of the Assembly as well as its own that the United States should express its objections to the convention which it has failed to approve and also any proposals it might care to make. The reply, which was sent Sept. 12 by way of the American Minister in Switzerland for "informal" transmission to the Secretary General of the League, calls attention to historic evidences of our interest in restricting this traffic and notes certain objections which a "careful examination" of the convention reveals, one of which is the inability of our Government to impose penalties applicable to private arms-producing concerns. But the supreme objection seems to be that the provisions of the convention are so intertwined with the convention of the League as to make it impracticable for this Government to ratify "in view of the fact that it is not a member of the League."

Now follows the polite answer from Acting President BRANTING, which acknowledges our compliance with the negative side of the Assembly's request (the recital of objections) but notes our failure to make suggestion on the positive side. Not to be discouraged, the Acting President, speaking on behalf of the Assembly and the Council, now invites the Government of the United States to co-operate in the draft of a convention that may be acceptable. In such a cause as this, there can be no "safety in negation." Safety can come only through positive co-operation. If we but have the will to join the other nations in this effort, a way can be found.

PRESERVING GREENWICH VILLAGE.

Mr. JOHN R. VOORHIS, moving sprily along in his ninety-fifth year, is entitled to call himself an old resident of Greenwich Village. Probably he prefers to think of himself oftener as the oldest of the old Ninth Warders, for the cleavage between Greenwich Village and the old Ninth Ward, two spiritual entities laying claim to the same territory, is as profound as that between Empire and Papacy. Yet as now and then Emperor and Pope made a temporary truce and combined against the infidels, so Villagers and Old Ninth Warders combine to drive out heathen invaders.

This is an old story. The love feast of Villagers and Old Ninth Warders held the other day merely brought reiteration of the sentiments that were expressed last Spring, when a crusade of the Washington Square Association received a good deal of support from genuine Villagers. Bohemianism made Greenwich Village famous, and as happened in the Latin Quarter and on Montmartre, numerous eager persons with an eye to business cashed in on its fame by moving to the Village and opening establishments with a veneer of Bohemianism for the tourist trade. Most of the well-grounded complaints of vice that have lately been brought against the Village have been charged against places of that sort, their proprietors and frequenters. They are an offense to conservative old residents and to genuine Bohemians as well; and Bohemia as well as the Old Ninth Ward will be the better for their removal.

One is pained, however, to observe that a news account of this enterprise refers to a "warning to bob-haired girls." The prejudice against bobbed hair is a survival of the old ascetic belief that cleanliness is as far as possible from godliness, that anything that makes it easy to keep clean is a vice, and that a cake of soap is an implement of Satan.

THE HUNDRED NEEDIEST CASES.

If one-half of the world does not know how the other half lives, it is equally true that until New York's One Hundred Neediest Cases made their first appeal in 1912 this community did not know the extremity of some unfortunates in the great city. In eleven years the relief fund has grown to be an institution. It has thrown its rays into households where the battle for life was being fought in the dim light of hope deferred. There were casualties, there was cold and famine. Many of the combatants were broken with infirmity and disease. Some were children. It was not charity these people wanted. Holding to their sorry homes as to a life raft, they longed for aid to restore their strength that they might work on for the weak and young dependent on them. It was amazing what great souls these valiant poor had. The story was told, and is told again, in the Hundred Neediest Cases. Nothing in fiction could be more moving than these annals.

The relief fund is known throughout the United States for its usefulness. Indeed, contributions come from all parts of the earth. Those who give have acquired the habit. They are volunteers in the noblest of all causes—the salvage of human beings. "All mankind's concern is charity," but the charity of the Hundred Neediest Cases is infused with a sympathy that kindles at the story of the brave fight of the beleaguered ones. Money is given to be applied to special cases in which the givers take a personal interest. Among these contributors are many children. The spirit in which these helping hands are held out is not what is ordinarily called the Christmas spirit. It is the love of humanity that endures through the year. May it not be claimed for the influence of the relief fund that it is humanizing?

Thirteen days remain before the coming of Christmas. Every day will be a milestone on the road to the goal of achievement. On each milestone there should be inscribed a rising sum of gifts. The merrier the Christmas for the giver the readier should be his response.

JOHN R. RATHOM.

Mr. JOHN REVELSTOKE RATHOM is best remembered by his detailed and vigorous exposure of the intrigues and conspiracies, the campaign of spying and violence carried on in the United States by officials of the German Embassy and other propagandists and agents of the German Government. His articles produced a strong impression and brought him many enemies in whom his pugnacious soul delighted. They also brought him a multitude of friends. He was a man of salient personality, intense temperament, determined will. Born an Australian, always retaining something of the almost acrid individuality and independence of his native country, he was educated in the humanities, a man of wide and various information, a meritorious author as well as a journalist of high executive ability and genuine force of expression in editorial writing. As a correspondent or otherwise, he had wandered widely, seen the fighting Sudan, New Guinea, Alaska, Cuba, before he settled down, so far as his restless spirit could settle, in Providence.

There, as editor and manager of that famous old institution, The Providence Journal, and of The Evening Bulletin, he made two good newspapers; and his exuberant personality was always making fun or trouble for somebody—not infrequently for himself. He was a vivid and rugged character. He loved to fight. He was not without a certain spirit of mischief. Hate him or like him—and it made no particular difference to him which you did—JOHN RATHOM never failed to be interesting. He did a lot and enjoyed a lot in a life that reached only to middle age.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Making a Study of "Colds."

Attention given by the Medical Division of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to the matter of "common colds" among the 6,700 clerical employes in the home office has resulted in the disclosure of interesting facts, one of them being that this malady, too often held trivial, has its serious economic effects as well as that of preparing the way for diseases the gravity of which everybody recognizes.

In the twelve months ended with July, 1923, of these employes 2,642 had a cold that caused disability. This is at the rate of 420.7 colds per 1,000 employes. The average of disability per person on the payroll was .9 day, and the average per case was 2.2 days. In all, 6,233 days were lost.

Further examination of the record revealed that infections of the upper respiratory tracts have in the year two periods of maximum incidence—the first following the advent of cool weather in late Summer or early Fall, and the second when the coldest weather prevails, in January or February. This suggested to the investigator that there are two types of these catarrhal fevers, with the second the more likely to be followed by pneumonia and other severe infections. As the colds most often followed changes in the weather from warm to cold, this hinted that they could be prevented by a proper attention to clothing and by the better ventilation of homes, work places and means of transportation—two large orders, especially the second, as the art of ventilation is still in its infancy.

No Remedy Yet Discovered.

Of course such careful observation as has been made of the Metropolitan Life's employés has value, but one cannot help wishing that efforts had been made or results reported as to just what happens, and how, when one "catches cold." Some of the doctors are inclined to say that sitting in drafts, getting wet feet, wearing too much or too little clothing and the like have nothing to do with colds, as they are the consequence of a bacterial infection. They are that, but every one of us knows that colds follow lowering of the bodily temperature when it affects only a part of the body, and that while the bacteria may be the active agent it gets to work only in this, to it, seemingly favorable condition. "After" does look like "because" when this sequence is invariable. In effect, therefore, though not in theory, it is the draft that causes the cold—when it isn't wet feet or the taking off of one's woollies too early in the Spring.

And as colds are unavoidable, or at any rate are not avoided, it would be highly desirable if the medicos would get busy and find something to cure them, or at least something that would shorten their course after they once are well started. Power to do both of these things is claimed for a hundred medicaments, but their number proves that none of them keeps the promises made in its behalf. Taken at the very first sniff, six grains of quinine and an aspirin tablet will ward off the affliction—sometimes and for some people, especially if accompanied with much faith and more hope. But let a cold get well going, and it must be borne, with or without grinning, according to the victim's temperament. If he can go to bed and stay there, recovery will be hastened; but nobody does that, so there is little or no use talking about a remedy so tiresome and usually so expensive.

Beneficial If Not Enjoyable.

If quail have a sense of humor and can exercise it under great difficulty, those of them to whose notice comes several speeches made here this week at the meeting of the American Game Protective Association must be laughing a lot. These speakers had been much disturbed by a proposal that quail should be put in the category of song birds, for which there is no open season. To head that off they promptly and vehemently protested that a moderate amount of shooting was really good for quail. It made the birds hardy and by scattering the coveys prevented in-breeding.

Other advantages were mentioned, but the number was smaller than it would have been if more time had been allowed for thought and the use of ingenuity. Obviously, it is fine mental and physical training for a quail to be shot at with reasonable frequency. He learns to be alert on the foot and the wing, to be a keen observer of man's ways, purposes and accoutrements, and really he must be much happier in the utilisation of new or increased abilities than he would be if allowed to live in slothful ease and dull security. The Kentucky mountaineers have profited in the same way from their feuds, and if occasionally their shooting at one another changes from moderate to excessive, that is only too much of a good thing and soon cures itself.

Of course, it would be bad for quail to be constantly under fire. They would come to suffer from what is called shell shock—nerve strain carried to the point of nerve exhaustion.

They Want No Help of Enemies.

As queer as anything recently reported in the dispatches is the angry reaction of the Berlin papers to the presence of the French and Belgian diplomatic bodies at a charity ball held to raise money for the feeding of German children. Instead of taking this as an evidence of good-will—of a desire to mitigate one of the most pathetic phases of the situation in Germany—all of the editors see in it only an insult to be resented with bitterness.

That is because they ascribe to France and Belgium alone the fact that Germany is unable now as in the good old days to feed her own children. That is one way, of course, to look at the case, and perhaps the only way that Germans can look at it; but others will recall just why it is that the French and Belgians happen to be on the Rhine and across it, and will remember the existence of at least a chance that if the Germans would abandon their refusal to meet just demands their children soon would cease to be threatened with starvation.

Banditry in Dry Territory.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Canada, especially Ontario, which is as yet in the grip of prohibition (which puts the policeman in charge of people's private life as well as of their public life), is almost altogether at the mercy of banditry. It is customary to blame this condition upon the motor car. But there is more in it than that. There is a very large body of the very best people of any country which will not submit tamely to interference in their wholly irreproachable private lives. The attempt of one part of a people to rule with a rod of iron another part must be justified by the manifest misconduct of that other part, which then expects a battle and challenges the authorities to it.

If there is no misconduct, the repression is gratuitous and unwarranted and arouses the deepest hatred and desire for revenge. That is why North America is so given over to lawlessness and disorder. This repression of decent people in their private lives at the beck and order of their self-righteous and self-opinionated neighbors is bound to result in just what is taking place. The disease is extending. It is running into all branches of life and if not stopped will utterly ruin the life of any nation.

J. H. BURNHAM.
Peterborough, Canada, Dec. 6, 1923.

CHRISTMAS WAITS.

"It came upon the midnight clear,
That glorious song of old—"
Quaint Christmas waits were wont to sing
As 'round the lanes they strolled—
Gay Yuletide minstrels they, to whom
Wassail and coin were doled!

But, nowadays, there stand outside
Our homes, unwarmed, unfed,
Poor waifs who shiver with the cold,
Whose hands are chapped and red—
They neither pipe nor carols raise
For lack of daily bread.

Shabby and starved and pitiful,
How can such children sing
Or greetings give to Mary's Son
In joyful caroling?
They have no part in mirth whose lives
Are maimed and suffering.

Oh, slow of heart! The friendless poor
He who compassionates
Thrice blessed is! The little Christ
Roams with these Christmas waits—
Give, lest you drive this year away
His blessing from your gates!

MAZIE V. CARUTHERS.

COLLECTING WAR DEBTS.

Benefits, If Any, for Future Generations, Not for Ours.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

International financial obligations resulting from the war will continue for a long time to be troublesome. Though our policy on some important questions in regard to these obligations has been embodied in legislation by Congress, our attitude toward the whole subject is not well defined.

Frequently we have to be reminded that the payment of the debts due to us from our recent associates in war and the payment of reparations by Germany are distinct and unrelated questions. We have to be informed of elementary principles showing the questions to be unrelated, not only when these principles appear to be treated lightly on the other side of the Atlantic, but also when some resourceful legislator on this side so far forgets the elementary principles that he proposes to use one obligation to prevent a drastic enforcement of the other. The frequency of the occasion on which it is necessary to show that the obligations are unrelated may be significant.

We say that we are unwilling to assume indirectly Germany's obligations. Do we not, then, take the position that the obligations are related, but that we do not wish to co-operate with other nations to effect a settlement? If we do not wish to aid directly in enforcing the reparation provisions of the Treaty of Versailles, let us avoid the artful and cautious policy of seeking to enforce them indirectly. If we state that we are unwilling to assume Germany's obligations, directly or indirectly, whenever we suspect that some one is about to suggest a cancellation of international debts, we in effect urge France to use more drastic measures to obtain reparations, so that she may pay us. Such a cautious policy is dangerous. It contributes to the menace of war in Europe. If recent experience is a criterion, it follows that it endangers peace in our own country.

International financial obligations are the evil progeny of the war. To thwart the disasters which they threaten may well tax the resourcefulness of the ablest statesmen. It is, indeed, unfortunate that at the present time our Department of State is not free to act effectively because of legislation by Congress. Any criticism of our State Department which may appear in this letter is prompted by a desire to show the need for removing the limitations which restrict the scope of its negotiations. Public sentiment will, I believe, bring about the repeal of the legislation imposing these limitations when the reasons for the enactment of the legislation, and the grounds on which it has been justified, have been subjected to thorough examination.

A brief notice may be given here to some of the reasons for this legislation, such as heavy taxes and sound economic principles. We have heavy tax burdens. Other nations are indebted to us. We must insist on the sound business principle of the payment of debts. As taxpayers, we might find this argument less alluring if we considered it from a practical point of view. We do not try to estimate the amount which our debtors will be able to pay within any given period of time, or the amount which we may induce them to pay. We refuse to be really practical. Yet we know that most of the foreign nations, if not all, which are indebted to us will not be able to lighten appreciably the tax burdens resting on any of us who are now paying taxes. What they may do for our children's children is not animportant; but it should be made clear that it is the taxpayers of future generations, not those of the present, whose burdens are to be lightened by the payment of international debts. It should also be made clear that neither our own taxes nor those of our children will be lightened by goading European nations into war.

If we do not consider permanently closed the question of the ultimate payment of debts due to us from our former allies, do we sanction the repudiation of debts? The repudiation of debts by a nation is a serious matter. A release from a debt, however, is not a repudiation of the debt. One question, indeed, deserving thorough consideration is whether a virtual repudiation of international debts by a great nation because of its inability to make payment should not be avoided by a release of the debts where it appears that the debts have been contracted to further a course of vital concern to the creditor nations.

But the stern goddess of justice, it seems, frowns alike on expediency and sentiment. Is justice between nations totally different from justice between individuals? Is justice violated if we reopen the question of the ultimate payment of the debts of our recent associates in war, debts contracted for our common safety? A costly antitoxin was obtained by great sacrifices and privations, as well as through the expenditure of borrowed money. The lender of the money, falling sick, used a large part of the serum which the borrower had perfected. The lender ought not to feel restrained by the demands of economic principles or of justice from releasing the borrower from his obligation. WILLIAM S. REA.

Brooklyn, Dec. 10, 1923.

CZAR AND PHARAOH.

A Russian System as Dead as the Egypt of Tut-ankh-Amen.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

They are digging up a Pharaoh in Egypt. In doing so a certain number of interesting facts are being developed. This is good. But I wonder how many TIMES readers are familiar (to take but one example out of hundreds) with such a work as George Kennan's "Siberia and the Exile System," published some twenty-five years ago.

It is as interesting now as it ever was. One may read it today and be held fascinated by its narrative. Yet, having so read, let one close the final volume and say to himself: "Everything I have just been reading about is absolutely vanished from the face of the earth. The vast and complicated system of Russian court life and ceremony, that occupied centuries in the making; of elaborate Russian social contacts, of Russian criminal procedure and punishment (including banishment to Siberia)—all these are wiped out, every vestige of them. And this completely obliterated civilization (what a word for what a thing!) dates back not 3,000 years, but less than seven years!"

Few people realize the tremendous changes that have come to mankind since the first military order, "Forward!" was given across the water there in 1914. We are much too near these great events to get even a partially accurate perspective vision of them. That must come as the years pass—only thus.

Truly, it is a changed world, my masters! And for the better? That we must not doubt.

ARTHUR ELLIOT SPROUL.
New York, Dec. 10, 1923.

JOHNSON'S PARTY CLAIMS.

California Senator Held Responsible for the 1916 Defeat.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In a recent issue of your newspaper Joseph M. Bernstein tells us that he "can state most emphatically that the defeat of Charles Evans Hughes in 1916 cannot in any way, either directly or indirectly, be laid at the door of Senator Johnson."

These be brave words truly, but some former Progressives from the start and how Republicans absolutely deny the correctness of the quoted statement, but on the contrary lay Mr. Hughes's defeat directly at the door of Senator Johnson.

Accept, if you please, all that Mr. Bernstein says relative to the inexpediency or worse of Mr. Hughes making his speaking trip to California, the factional row among the Republicans there and his at least seeming to take sides in a purely local dispute; also accept Mr. Bernstein's designation of Mr. Hughes's carriage, "his lack of warmth, his kind of punch, and his vague straddling platform of those days," but all of that is only a plea in abatement, an attempted smoke screen, which fails to touch upon, much less obscure, the real situation or explain Mr. Johnson's inexcusable conduct at that time.

I will go further and admit that, in addition to the above quoted shortcomings (?) on the part of Mr. Hughes, it is also quite possible that tales were carried to Mr. Johnson regarding Mr. Hughes which, perhaps not true, yet none the less tended to add still further to his sense of outraged dignity because of seeming lack of courtesy and consideration on the part of the Republican nominee for President.

But, supposing all these things were 100 per cent. true, the cold and naked facts are these: Senator Johnson was then making his canvass for election as United States Senator from the great State of California. Mr. Hughes was in that State making his canvass for President of our whole country. At the subsequent election Mr. Johnson was elected Senator by a little less than 300,000 majority, while at the same election Mr. Hughes lost the electoral vote of that same State by a very few hundred votes which, if given him, would have made him President of the United States. Did any one ever hear of Senator Johnson during his then canvass showing any interest or attempting to advance the candidacy of Mr. Hughes among the California electorate? Well, not so it has ever been heard of.

In other words, Senator Johnson was not big enough, broad-minded enough, even temporarily, to sink his own sense of outraged dignity long enough to say that the interest of his party in the nation was supreme and that he would speak a kindly word and urge the election of Mr. Hughes in the interest of the party itself—and this, too, when from no even selfish point of view would it injure his own individual canvass. With his own overwhelming election the result showed that almost as easily as lifting his hand he could also have carried California for Hughes had he even languidly desired it.

But no! He was too small a man, and he put his so-called personal grievances above the interests of his party in the nation, with the result every one knows.

Whoever else may be blamed for even partially defeating Mr. Hughes, there is one man, absolutely and wholly in his own person, who can justly be blamed for it, and that is this great (?) man whom Mr. Bernstein so pronouncedly advocates for the Republican nomination for President.

In the face of these cold facts, what a mockery, how puerile, not to say how nervy, is the claim that Senator Johnson should be nominated because of serv'ces rendered to the party. Indeed it is to laugh!

A PROGRESSIVE MINUTE MAN.
New York, Dec. 10, 1923.

THE NEEDIEST CASES.

Mercy, Pity, Peace Go With the Gifts That Relieve Their Suffering.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

May I as a stranger, though an affectionate stranger, within your gates tell you how greatly I admire your appeal for the One Hundred Neediest Cases in last Sunday's NEW YORK TIMES?

Every one who has worked among the sick, the solitary, the submerged in any great city knows how suffocating such suffering is. It is a knowledge which tears at the hearts not only of the needy themselves but of those who serve among them. Indeed, the workers often carry a double burden, for they may know the remedy which would ease the sufferer, give fresh courage to the struggling worker, a new chance to the failure. But their hands are tied—they have not the wherewithal to provide the remedy.

Your appeal seems to solve every part of the dilemma. In a few restrained and tender sentences a hundred urgent sorrows are revealed. With one gesture, then, help passes from the giver to the wise friends of the needy. Nothing is spilled on the way; nay, the treasure is rather increased, because the givers are enlightened as to the individual human need which it is their privilege to satisfy. It is not money only which they have a chance to offer—that were a sorry makeshift; but money joined with "mercy, pity, peace," sure links to bind fortune and misfortune into the chain of brotherhood and hope.

I trust that your appeal may be more widely answered than ever before.

Take heed to this small child of earth;
He is great, he hath in him God most high—
Ah! dapp in Heaven what thunder stirs
When God seeks out these tender things,
Whose in the silence while we sleep
He sends us—clad about with wings,
And finds them, ragged babes who weep.

Only when each one of us has learned to take such heed of suffering dare we stay our hands.

HESTER J. COLLES.
New York, Dec. 10, 1923.

Restricted Use of Street Areas.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

On the editorial page of your paper this morning you very clearly stated some of the causes of traffic congestion. It is obvious that the streets of New York, and of every other large city, were not planned for the service which is being demanded of them at this time. Further, by the expenditure of inordinate sums of money for widening, the capacity of the streets would be increased less than 10 per cent. What is needed is the recognition that in general the street areas available for traffic are fixed, and should be put to the most economical use—trucking, street-car service, bus service, private passenger-car service, "cruising" taxi service, or parking. It is obvious there is not room for all. The unrestricted use of the streets is the real cause of traffic congestion. Speedways and wider streets leading into congested areas will give only temporary relief, and will ultimately increase the congestion by facilitating the entrance of cars therein. The economical use of our street areas is the only relief from traffic congestion.

JOHN S. WORLEY,
Professor of Transportation, University of Michigan.
New York, Dec. 7, 1923.

CRAVATH CONDEMNS VERSAILLES TREATY

Sees Either Disaster to France or to the Fortunes of Other Nations.

THINKS AMERICA COULD AID

General Henry T. Allen Says Ultimately We Must Discuss Reparations.

Characterizing the Treaty of Versailles as "a millstone around the economic neck of Europe" and describing the immediate outlook as discouraging, Paul D. Cravath in a speech at the dinner of the Economic Club at the Hotel Astor last night declared that a change in the economic features of the treaty was largely in the hands of France.

"France seems to be determined upon the policy of subordinating reparations to security," he said, "and of attempting the gigantic task of establishing a military hegemony in Europe as security against German military aggression and of attempting to shift the centre of the continental industrial system from the right bank to the left bank of the Rhine as security against German industrial aggression.

"Whether the policy will succeed is doubted by many of the best friends of France, but, until its outcome is known, whether that outcome be success or failure, the economic fate of France is bound to be held in the balance. If the policy fails, the results may be disastrous to France. If the policy succeeds, it is bound profoundly to affect the economic and industrial fortunes of the other nations of Europe."

Mr. Cravath declared that there never was a peace conference, such as that which framed the Treaty of Versailles, which was so clearly under an obligation to give consideration to economic problems and there never was a peace conference which so completely ignored them. "The conference seems to have exhausted the resources of human ingenuity in producing a treaty that was not only unfitted to cure the economic ills of Europe but cunningly devised to create new ones," he continued.

"I am not one of those who believe the Treaty of Versailles will be the ruin of European civilization. I am not propresying starvation, Bolshevism or anarchy in any form. Whatever happens, I believe that stable government in some form will survive. European civilization is too deeply and strongly rooted to be destroyed, even by the Treaty of Versailles. I do believe, however, that the rigidity of the economic provisions of the treaty and the extent to which its enforcement is in the hands of a single nation whose interests are in so many respects at variance with those of the other nations concerned are apt to be serious factors in retarding the establishment of that era of peace and prosperity for which all the nations so fervently long."

Mr. Cravath said he believed that organizations like the League of Nations might help in rebuilding the European economic machine but that the process would be slow and discouraging.

"Much will depend upon whether America, with her unparalleled wealth and economic power, will be able to find a way effectively to do her part," he said.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Arctic explorer, said he believed the question of reparations might be settled by the League of Nations and expressed regret that Germany had not applied for membership in the League in 1921 and presented the question then.

General Henry T. Allen, formerly Commander of the American forces in the Rhineland, said he believed that the American Government ultimately must discuss reparations, German payments and interallied debts at the same conference with other interested countries.

VILLARD ATTACKS TREATY.

Sees No Peace or Prosperity Until Versailles Instrument Is Supplanted

Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of The Nation, told members of the Social Problems Club in Schermerhorn Hall, Columbia University, yesterday afternoon that there would be no peace or prosperity until the Treaty of Versailles was supplanted by another instrument.

"It is now up to America," he said, "to obtain a conference in which the only two topics worthy of distinction—namely, the treaty and the reparations question—will be provided for."

He declared that France was not taking a stand which would protect her in the future, and said the Germans were taking their children "to see French atrocities and were making them swear to live for the downfall of France."

INSIST ON COURT IN LEAGUE.

Council Members Meeting at Paris Discuss the Lenroot Bill.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—The bill introduced in Washington by Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin to have the United States join the Permanent Court of International Justice provided that body were divorced from the League of Nations was a lively topic among those who assembled today for the session of the League Council.

Members of the council themselves discreetly joined in the discussion, but maintained silence when it came to the question of speaking for publication. Nevertheless the opinion seemed clearly to prevail that the idea of cutting off the League from the World Court was impossible of realization.

It was pointed out during the discussion that the court was a natural complement of the League, and that members of the League were often glad to appeal to it when it seemed unfeasible to pursue disputes before the League itself. It was urged also that as the League developed there was becoming a tendency to fashion more links in the chain of arbitration and conciliation connecting the League with the court.

It was emphasized that Elihu Root himself conceived the idea of having the Judges elected concurrently by the League Assembly and Council, and the opinion was reached that no reason appeared why the United States could not temporarily sit in to participate in the elections for the court.

NEW HARVARD SCHOLARSHIP.

Class of 1902 Honors Memory of Three Members Who Died in War.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 11.—In memory of three of its members who died in the war, the Harvard class of 1902 has formed a world memorial scholarship with a donation to the university of $5,000, it was announced today. The fund will provide $250 annually for sons and descendants of the class, especially those of the men honored.

These three are André Chetronnet-Champollion, who volunteered in the French infantry and was killed in action at Bois le Prêtre in March, 1915; Major Edward Ball Cole, who died of wounds received at Belleau Wood with the Fourth Marine Brigade, and Lieutenant Elbert Walker Shirk of the Navy Flying Corps, who died in Chicago in September, 1919, of illness contracted in the service.

If the class descendants become extinct or the fund is otherwise made unavailable for scholarships it will be appl

JOHN R. RATHOM DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Editor and Ex-War Correspondent Never Fully Recovered From Operation in 1922.

A FRIEND OF KITCHENER

Decorated by Belgium and Italy for His Services in World Conflict.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 11.—John Revelstoke Rathom, for the last twelve years editor and general manager of the Providence Journal and Evening Bulletin and for six years prior to that managing editor of the same papers, died this morning at his home in this city. He was in his 56th year.

In August, 1922, Mr. Rathom underwent a surgical operation from which he never fully recovered. Last January, accompanied by Mrs. Rathom, he left for a sojourn of seven months in England and the mild climate of Southern France. On his return in July he went to a camp at Kinnebago Lake, Maine, where he had spent vacations for a number of years. In October he came back to Providence, and had been constantly under the care of a physician since that time.

Mr. Rathom was born in Melbourne, Australia, July 4, 1868, and was educated at Scotch College, Melbourne; Whinham College, Adelaide, and Harrow, England. His journalistic career began when he was appointed as field correspondent for The Melbourne Argus

John R. Rathom.

with the British forces in Egypt after Gordon's fatal Soudan campaign. At this time he was 18 years old. At the close of the campaign he spent seven years in the Far East. He was a member of the Bundury expedition in an exploration of New Guinea and later was employed in the Chinese customs administration under Sir Robert Hart.

In the Spanish War.

Mr. Rathom arrived in Vancouver, B. C., in 1890, and shortly afterward joined the staff of The Seattle Post-Intelligencer as reporter. Returning to Canada, he joined the reportorial staff of The Victoria Daily Colonist, and in 1890 moved back to the United States to become editor of a small paper, The Daily Astorian, in Astori Ore.

After some seven years of the liberal education available to any young man who will knock about a new country with both eyes wide open, Mr. Rathom was adjudged qualified for the post of telegraph editor on The Portland Oregonian. It was on this paper under the tutelage of Harvey W. Scott, a pioneer and outstanding figure in American journalism, that he received his most valuable newspaper training.

His next venture in journalism was in the role of special staff correspondent for The San Francisco Chronicle. There he engaged in unraveling political scandals. He was generally credited with bringing about the arrest and conviction of the Hammer murderer, following clues which the police had dropped. His name was linked intimatley with the "ballot frauds" exposure in San Francisco.

He was appointed to represent his paper at the front with the American forces in the war with Spain. He represented the correspondents in arguments with the censors and was credited with being the finest correspondent to write and publish the actual objective of the American troops, Santiago. Mr. Rathom was wounded and contracted a fever, which resulted in his being sent to a fever camp at Montauk, from which he took French leave before his discharge. As a result he was confined in St. Luke's Hospital in New York for many weeks.

Friend of Kitchener.

His Cuban war experience was followed by a similar strenuous period of service in South Africa during the second Boer War, in 1900-01. There he formed what proved to be a lifelong friendship with the late Field Marshal Kitchener. He was wounded twice in this war and was invalided home.

Mr. Rathom's next association was with the Chicago Times Herald, afterward the Chicago Record Herald, of which H. H. Kohlsatt was publisher and Cornelius McAuliffe managing editor. He became the staff writer for the managing editor, handling the big special feature stories of which the city staff was relieved.

In his editorship of the Providence Journal and Evening Bulletin Mr. Rathom stressed always the obligation of the newspaper to extend a welcoming hand and a sympathetic ear to the problems of the newcomer in America. He contributed liberally of his humor to the columns of his papers and was known for his imaginary humorous characters. He was a leader in every enterprise for civic betterment and a stanch advocate of stronger community spirit as opposed to excessive individualism.

In addition to his journalistic work, Mr. Rathom was a poet of no small ability, although he seldom sought publicity for his works, preferring anonymity. He possessed also great talent as a descriptive writer. In his philanthropy also he worked quietly. He numbered among his stanchest friends many crippled, poor and otherwise unfortunate children in the city where he had lived.

Mr. Rathom received recognition abroad for his work, including knighthood in the Order of the Crown of Italy and the badge of the Chevalier of the Order of Leopold in Belgium. The latter decoration was conferred by King Albert on a visit to this country.

From 1917 to 1922 Mr. Rathom was a director of The Associated Press, and until last year he was President of the New England Newspaper Associations.

Among those who personally have expressed sorrow at Mr. Rathom's death are Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, former Secretary of State Robert Lansing, and Frank B. Noyes, President of The Associated Press.

Alumnae to Give Bridge.

The Gardner School Alumnae will hold their annual bridge party tomorrow afternoon at the Ritz-Carlton. Tickets may be obtained from Miss Maud Ellinger at the Ritz, or from Mrs. Francis Laimbeer, Garden City, L. I.

Relief Society Dance.

Members of the Infants' Relief Society will hold their annual dance in the ballrooms of the Plaza next Saturday evening. Miss Sylvia Koenig is Chairman of the committee in charge of the dance.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Lady Henry of London is at the Plaza this week.

Mrs. Paul H. Bonner will give a dinner tomorrow before the Bachelor Dance at the Vanderbilt.

Mrs. Rita Lydig, who returned from Europe on the Paris, will be at the Lorraine for the Winter.

Mrs. Eugene Coleman Savidge gave a luncheon at Pierre's yesterday for the Countess di Robilant. There were forty guests.

Mrs. Emily Prince Post has closed her home in Tuxedo Park and will be at the Gladstone for the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Parmely W. Herrick and son of Carlton House are sailing today for Paris to join Ambassador Herrick. They plan to remain abroad for about three months.

William Ross Proctor is a guest at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Major General Enoch H. Crowder, Ambassador to Cuba, has come from Washington, D. C., and is at the Astor.

The Hon. Mrs. Charles Winn and her two small daughters, who arrived on the Majestic, have joined the Hon. Charles Winn, at the Ritz. Mme. de Garda, wife of the Brazilian Ambassador to Great Britain, who also came on the Majestic, is staying.

Miss Ellen S. Parks, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Leighton Parks, is Chairman of the committee in charge of the operatic review, "Nilson," to be presented tomorrow and Friday evenings at the Waldorf-Astoria for the benefit of St. Bartholomew's Clinic and Hospital. Mrs. James C. Ames of Chicago is to sing the title role.

Mrs. John A. Logan, who has taken an apartment at the St. Regis for the Winter, entertained at luncheon there yesterday, her guests including Mrs. Burke Roche, Mrs. William Alexander, Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, Mrs. Joseph R. Dilworth and Mrs. Edward M. House.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Derby of Oyster Bay, L. I., are receiving congratulations upon the birth yesterday afternoon of their fourth child, a daughter. Mrs. Derby was formerly Miss Ethel C. Roosevelt, daughter of the late President Roosevelt.

Miss Dorothy Elaine Vkaji of London, who has been staying at the St. Regis, has taken an apartment at the Gainsborough Studios, 222 West Fifty-ninth Street.

Mrs. Willard V. King of New York is at the Broadmoor, Colorado Springs, for the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Choate of 10 East Ninety-fourth Street will give a dance tonight for their daughter, Miss Marion Choate.

MISS BOYD BETROTHED.

Engaged to Carlton W. Cox of Montclair—Other Engagements.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hamilton Boyd of Upper Mountain Avenue, Montclair, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Charlotte M. Boyd, to Carlton Wheeler Cox, son of Robert Lynn Cox of Montclair.

MacColl—Kimbark.

Mrs. Eugene Underwood Kimbark of Evanston, Ill., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mary Kimbark, to Norman Alexander MacColl, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. MacColl of Providence, R. I.

O'Hagan—Byrne.

Mrs. James J. Byrne of 9 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Crystal Marie Byrne, to John F. O'Hagan of Orange, N. J.

Miss Annenberg a Bride.

Miss Pearle Annenberg, daughter of Moses Louis Annenberg, Circulation Director of the Hearst Publications, and Herbert Krancer of this city were married last evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Ambassador. The ceremony was followed by a dinner and dance of 125 guests. The bride is a former resident of Chicago and is a graduate of the Milwaukee Downer Seminary. Mr. Krancer is in the advertising business here and is a member of the Metropolis Club. After their honeymoon they will make their home in New York.

Miss Stern Weds W. Friedman.

The marriage of Miss Laura Stern, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stern of 274 Riverside Drive, and William Friedman of 247 West Ninety-seventh Street, took place last night at the Synagogue of the Congregation Shaari Zedek, in West Ninety-third Street. The Rev. Dr. Philip Klein and Rabbi Elias Solomon officiated. Cantor Joseph Rosenblatt sang, assisted by the Ohab Zedek choir. The ceremony was followed by a dinner and dance at the Astor for 250 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Friedman are leaving this week for an extended honeymoon in Europe.

W. D. Wile Weds Ohio Girl.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 11.—Miss Edith Lowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Lowman, and Walter D. Wile, a lawyer of New York City, were married yesterday at the home of the bride's parents here.

Girl Pianists Make Debuts.

Marya Shannon last evening at Aeolian Hall and Penny Andrus at a Princess Theatre matinee were two modest newcomers of a day in musical New York. Miss Shannon, who is from up-State, displayed good stage presence and technique in short works of Beethoven, Chopin, Debussy, a Bach-Saint Saëns chorale and Godowsky's "Alt Wien." Miss Andrus, in a similar program, added Stojowski's "By the Brookside," some Brahms and a Bach transcription by Harold Bauer.

Select Child Actors.

Mary Corday and Ben Grauer have been selected from more than one hundred children to play the rôles of Mytyl and Trityl in "The Blue Bird," which the Shuberts will revive at Jolson's on Christmas Eve. Gladys Hanson will play Night, Ethel Jackson will play Mummy Tyl, and Catherine Collins the rôle of Milk. Reginald Barlow, who played Daddy Tyl in the original production will have the rôle of the Dog in the revival.

"Roseanne" to Be Played Dec. 29.

"Roseanne," a play of negro life by Ann Bagby Stevens, will be produced at the Greenwich Village Theatre on Saturday night, Dec. 29, by Mary Kirkpatrick. An uptown theatre is being sought for "White Cargo," now at the Greenwich Village.

The Rev. John D. Hammond.

The Rev. John Dennis Hammond, Methodist Episcopal clergyman of, the Southern Church, died last night of apoplexy at the home of his son-in-law, W. B. Roulstone, in Islip, L.I. He was 73 years old and was graduated from the University of Georgia in 1870 and from Drew Theological Seminary five years later. He held several pastorates in Georgia and was presiding elder in the State until 1885. From 1885 to 1890 he was President of Central College at Fayette, Mo., and from 1896 to 1911 Secretary of the Board of Education of the Southern Methodist Church.

Mrs. Mary Izzard Killed.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 11.—Mrs. Mary Izzard, mother of U. S. Commissioner John E. Izzard and member of one of the oldest Atlantic County families, was instantly killed at Mays Landing tonight when struck by a motor car. Mrs. Izzard had just stepped around Commissioner Izzard's machine to cross a street when the car struck her. The victim was a sister of the late Judge Allen B. Endicott of this city and Admiral Mordecai Endicott of Washington.

FRENCH BALL LEADS SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Benefit for Hospital Is Preceded by Supper at Plaza, Which 500 Attend.

M. JUSSERAND A PATRON

Many Dinners Given Earlier—First of Yorkville Dance Series Is Held.

Society was attracted yesterday to various events. There were 500 at supper last night at the supper dance held at the Plaza for the benefit of the French Hospital Social Service work. A feature of the evening was the appearance of Leonore Hughes and Maurice in special dances. The Balalaika Orchestra played.

As the Ambassador of France, Jules J. Jusserand, headed the patrons, he was represented at the ball by Captain de Valsseau Jean Rigal, the Naval Attaché of the French Embassy in Washington.

Mrs. José M. Ferrer, Mrs. Cargill Tucker, Lady Duveen, Mrs. Reed Thompson, Mrs. Andrew Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Pierre C. Cartier were among those who gave dinners prior to the ball. Mrs. Cartier was Chairman of the committee on arrangements. Miss Elma Delavan gave a dinner for college boys and young girls.

The first of the series of five Yorkville dances for the benefit of the East Side Settlement House was held last evening at the Ritz-Carlton. Owing to the large attendance, the dance was held in the large ballroom instead of the Crystal Room, as originally planned.

Dinners in advance were given by Mrs. J. Arthur Brooks, Mrs. Henry Kelly Brent, Mrs. George de B. Greene, Mrs. Samuel Milbank, Dr. and Mrs. Norman E. Ditman, Mrs. Rodney Procter, Mrs. Arthur Ryle, Mrs. Henry Stickney, Mrs. William McNair and Mrs. Henry Schniewind.

The other dances will be held on Jan. 15, Feb. 19, March 4 and April 1.

A number of luncheons were given at Sherry's before the bridge held there yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the Kennedy House Settlement for Boys. Mrs. Henry M. Alker, Mrs. B. O. Chisolm, Mrs. T. Laurence Saunders, Mrs. Kenneth Spencer, Mrs. Claude W. Kress and Mrs. Henry James were among those taking tables.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Pratt gave a dinner last night for their daughter, Miss Virginia Pratt. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lewisohn entertained at dinner for Mrs. Henry van Heukelon. At the Plaza Mr. and Mrs. Owen F. Roberts gave a dinner, among their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Page Perin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gould Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Hakan B. Steffanson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howland Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson Stokes.

LORD SHAUGHNESSY'S FUNERAL THURSDAY

Widow Receives Condolences From King George, Queen Mary and Prince of Wales.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—Funeral services for Lord Shaughnessy, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who died suddenly yesterday, will be held Thursday at St. Patrick's Church. Interment will be in Cote des Neiges Cemetery here.

Lady Shaughnessy has received the following message from King George:

"The Queen and I are grieved to hear of your bereavement in which we offer you our sincere sympathy.

"We shall always reserve the pleasantest memories of Lord Shaughnessy and of his unfailing kindness and consideration both to ourselves and to members of my family."

Condolences also came from the Prince of Wales, Governor General and Lady Byng, the household of the Prince of Wales and from the Duke of Devonshire.

Flags throughout the city were at half-staff today. Messages of sympathy poured in to the family from all parts of the Dominion and the United States.

The funeral will have much the character of a public event and will be attended by representatives of the Governor General, the Canadian Government, both Federal and Provincial, and most of the national institutions. At 10 o'clock Thursday morning all operations of the Canadian Pacific Railroad on land and sea will come to a stop for two minutes as a mark of respect for the late Chairman of the Board. The general offices in Montreal will be closed during the morning to enable all employes to attend the services.

Obituary Notes.

JONATHAN BAKER, Superintendent of the Poor of Suffolk County, N. Y., died yesterday at his home in East Hampton, L. I., aged 70. He had been for thirty-one years keeper of the County Almshouse at Yaphank, L. I.

ROSWELL C. COLEMAN, twice Surrogate of Orange County, N. Y., died yesterday in his eighty-fourth year at his home in Goshen, N. Y. He was one of the American rifle team of 1875 that defeated the Irish team of Dublin.

Miss HELEN A. ROLLINS, active in the national prohibition movement and founder of the branch of the W. C. T. U. in Yonkers, died Monday at her home in Yonkers at the age of 83.

ROBERT H. McCARTER POTTER, founder of the glass company of his name in Chicago, died Monday in St. Luke's Hospital at the age of 66. He moved his business to Hoboken some years ago, retiring in 1908

Born.

BRESLIN—Mr. and Mrs. A. Breslin, 35 West 110th St., announce the birth of a daughter, Dec. 10, at Dr. Loft's Sanitarium.

Annulment.

COREY—CAFFREY—Mrs. James Caffrey of Greenwood Av., Far Rockaway, Long Island, wishes to announce that the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Angela Caffrey, to Mr. Russell B. Corey of New York City has been broken by mutual consent.

Married.

MARBETT—McNIECE—Dec. 11, Katharine Tallman to Frederick Kenneth Mabbett, New York.

ROSEN—LOWENSTEIN—On Tuesday, Dec. 11, at the St. Regis Hotel, by the Rev. Dr. Aaron Eisenman, Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lowenstein, to Joseph C. Rosen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rosen.

Died.

ABRAMS—Sophie, in her 82d year, widow of Isaac, mother of Ray Edelman, Helen Abrams and the late Gus Abrams. Funeral Thursday, 10 A. M., Mayers's Chapel, 223 Lenox Av.

ADAM—At Upper Montclair, N. J., Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, Amelia Briggs, wife of the late Hugo G. A. O. Adam. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 94 Mount Hebron Road, Upper Montclair, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ALLEN—At Scarsdale, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1923, Alice Foster Harris, wife of John Platt Allen and daughter of the late William H. and Mary Pond Harris. Services at her late residence, corner Overhill and Circle Road, Scarsdale, Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 12:45 P. M., on arrival of train leaving Grand Central Station at 11:35 A. M. Interment at convenience of family. Meriden and Hartford (Conn.) and Worcester (Mass.) papers please copy.

ALLING—Episcopal Rectory, Fern Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio, 6th, Mrs. James Alling entered into Life Everlasting, mother of Dean Stephen Howard Alling, M. A., Cheapside Church of the Resurrection, 10th. Interment Cincinnati, Connecticut papers kindly note.

THE MINIATURES, SNUFF BOXES AND relics of the Youssoupoff family will be on exhibition this afternoon, Wednesday, at the galleries of Miss Elsa de Wolfe, 691 Fifth Avenue.—Advt.

Died.

AMABILE—Louis, suddenly, on Dec. 9, beloved husband of Alida Amabile. Funeral from his late residence, 2,905 Valentine Av., on Wednesday morning; thence to St. Philip of Neri's Church, where a high mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

ANDERSON—At his residence, 1,101 Beacon St., Brookline, Mass., Dec. 10, James H. Anderson, M. D., in his 85th year, son of the late Dr. James and Euphemia A. Anderson of New York City. Funeral services at the Church of Our Saviour, Monmouth St., Thursday, Dec. 13, at 3 o'clock.

AXELROD—Israel. Passed away suddenly on Dec. 11, 1923. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 505 West 175th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 12, 1923, at 12 o'clock. Interment Washington Cemetery.

BERGMANN—Emilie Amanda, suddenly on Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, widow of William R. Bergmann. Funeral service will be held at her late residence, 37 St. Nicholas Place (at 155th St.), Wednesday, 1 P. M.

BIEBER—William, Dec. 11, 1923, beloved father of Henry Bieber and Mrs. Charles Lyons and grandfather of Mrs. Frederick Newmark and Mrs. Walter Tisch. Funeral Friday, 11 A. M., from his late residence, 1,305 Carroll St., Brooklyn.

BISSELL—At Montclair, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, Fannie S., widow of Arthur H. Bissell, in her 74th year. Funeral services will be held at the home of her son, Arthur H. Bissell, 193 Wildwood Av., Upper Montclair, on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 13, at 4 o'clock. Norwalk (Conn.) papers please copy.

BRACKENRIDGE—On Sunday, the 9th of December, Marcia Newman, wife of Charles D. Brackenridge. Funeral at Christ Church, Tome River, N. J., at 12 o'clock, Wednesday, the 12th day of December. Train R. R. of N. J. train leaves foot of Liberty St. at 9 o'clock.

BRAUN—Henry, beloved husband of Martha Elizabeth and father of Henry Jr., Emma, Lillian, Minnie, May and Helen. Funeral services at late residence, 19 West 92d St., Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 8 P. M. Funeral Thursday 10:30 A. M.

CAVANAGH—On Dec. 9, Sarah E., beloved sister of Julia and Nellie. Funeral from late residence, 216 West 104th St. Requiem mass Wednesday, 10 A. M., Church of the Ascension. Interment Calvary. Automobile cortege.

DOLORES—Mother M. (Dunleavy), on Saturday, Dec. 8, 1923, Mother M. Dolores (nee Dunleavy), of the College of New Rochelle, N. Y. Interment in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, New Rochelle, N. Y. San Francisco, Idaho, Pennsylvania papers please copy.

DORN—Augusta Dorn (nee Brinckmann), Dec. 11, 81 years and 13 days old, widow of Robert Dorn, beloved mother of William Dorn, George Dorn and Martha Dorn. Funeral service on Saturday, Dec. 15, at 2 P. M., at her late residence, 449 East 149th St.; thence to St. Paul's Church, 795-800 East 156th St.; interment Woodlawn.

FITCH—At Norston, Conn., on Tuesday, Dec. 11, 1923, Esther L., wife of Francis S. Fitch. Funeral services will be held at St. Luke's Church, Norston, Conn., on Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Automobiles will meet train at Norston station leaving Grand Central at 1:06 P. M. Buffalo papers please copy.

FLYNN—J. Howard. Officers and members New York Lodge No. 1, B. P. O. Elks: You are hereby summoned to attend funeral services of our Order for Brother J. Howard Flynn, Thursday morning, Dec. 13, at 10 o'clock, in the Lodge Room of the Home, 108 West 43d St., New York City.

JAMES E. McDONALD, Exalted Ruler.
WILLIAM T. PHILLIPS, Secretary.

GARDNER—Louise, of 134 West 130th St., dearly beloved wife of Adolph. Services at Meyer's Funeral Parlors, 220 Lenox Av., Thursday, Dec. 13, at 8 P. M.

GRAHAM—Anna Edelman Adams of 309 West 93d St., on Dec. 10, beloved wife of Wilfred, mother of Bertram and Marjorie Adams, sister of Isidore, Lillian Louis, Fanny and Harry Edelman. Funeral 10:30 A. M., Wednesday, Dec. 12, from Martin Pick's Funeral Parlors, 227 Lenox Av.

HAWKINS—At Freeport, Dec. 10, 1923, Louisa A. Rowland, wife of the late Theodore N. Hawkins. Services at the home of her son, W. Rowland Hawkins, 151 North Long Beach Av., Freeport, L. I., Thursday, at 11:30 A. M. Committal service at First Presbyterian Church, Babylon, at 1:30.

HEINRICH—Clarice Rose, beloved infant daughter of Milton F. and Adelaide, on Monday, Dec. 10. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2 P. M., from J. Millheiser's Parlors, 1,460 Lexington Av.

HUNTINGTON—At Cocoanut Grove, Fla., Dec. 6, 1923, Elizabeth Wolbert, wife of Lawrence Davenport Huntington Jr. Philadelphia papers please copy.

KAPLAN—On Tuesday, Dec. 11, Bertha, beloved wife of Sam Kaplan and devoted mother of Rose, Harry, Sadie, Mamie and Eddie. Funeral services Dec. 12, at 9 A. M., at her late residence, 502 West 179th St.

KEMP—On Dec. 7, 1923, Josephine, wife of Edward Kemp and daughter of Mrs. A. M. De Mott. Funeral service at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

KESSLER—On Sunday, Dec. 9, 1923, Bertha, beloved wife of Joseph Kessler, and cherished mother of Harry, Charles and Sayde.

KETCHAM—Catherine M., Dec. 10, 1923. Services Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, at 8:30 o'clock, at her late residence, 5,913 Amboy Road, Great Kills, Staten Island, N. Y.

LAPP—Christine, beloved wife of Michael Lapp, on Dec. 10, 1923. Funeral services at her late residence, 76 Hendrickson Av., Rockville Centre, L. I., on Dec. 13, 1923, at 8 P. M. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

LEVINE—Jacob H., beloved father of Pauline Gross, Edith, Betty, Rose and Louis. Member Washington Sick Fund Association. Funeral today from late residence, 60 West 176th St., at 10 o'clock. Interment at Riverside Cemetery, Rochelle Park, N. J.

LIPSHUTZ—Nathan, husband of the late Jennie, beloved father of Isaac, Philip, Benjamin and Mrs. Sadie Weinberg, devoted brother of Dora Levitan, in his 70th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 203 West 119th St., today, 1:30 P. M. Interment Washington Cemetery, Section 4.

LIPSHUTZ—Nathan. The Harlem Hebrew Day and Night Nursery, 38 West 115th St., announces with regret the death of its beloved Secretary, Nathan Lipshutz. All officers and directors and members are requested to attend the funeral from his late residence, 203 West 119th St., today at 1:30 P. M. Services will be held at the auditorium of the nursery by the Rev. Mr. Seidman.

B. M. WOLGEL, President.
WILLIAM SCHOR, Superintendent.

McDONOUGH—At her home, 167 Christopher St., Montclair, N. J., Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, Mary Oakley, wife of the late Thomas McDonough, in her 81st year. Funeral services will be held at St. John's Episcopal Church, Montclair Av., Montclair, Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

McGUINESS—Suddenly on Dec. 11, at her residence, 537 West 149th St., Annie E. Stewart, beloved wife of the late James McGuiness and mother of Nellie, Anna and Gertrude McGuiness. Solemn requiem mass at the Church of St. Gabriel, New Rochelle, N. Y., at 10:30 o'clock, Thursday. Interment at the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, New Rochelle, N. Y. Kindly omit flowers.

McLOUGHLIN—Suddenly, on Dec. 10, 1923, Thomas V., beloved husband of the late Mary C. McLoughlin (nee Nugent). He is survived by his son David, father, brother, and sister. Funeral from his late residence, 518 West 114th St., Tuesday, Dec. 18, 9:30 A. M.; thence to the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Automobile cortege.

MAHONEY—At Daytona Beach, Fla., on Dec. 8, 1923, Marie Louise (nee Poirier), widow of the late Daniel J. Mahoney. Funeral from 19 west 56th St., New York City, Thursday at 9:10 A. M., thence to Church of St. Paul the Apostle, 60th St. and 9th Av., where a mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9:30.

MALANEY—John J., dearly beloved son of Charles and Mary (nee Joyce). Funeral from his late residence, 2,035 Morris Av., Thursday at 9:30 A. M.; thence to the Church of St. Margaret Mary, Tremont and Creston Aves. Interment St. Raymond's Cemetery.

MALANEY—John J., on Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, at his residence, 2,035 Morris Av., Bronx. Members of Mystic Rose Council No. 269, Knights of Columbus, are requested to meet at late residence, 2,035 Morris Av., near Burnside Av., Bronx, Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, 1923, at 8 o'clock. Requiem mass at St. Margaret Mary R. C. Church, Tremont and Creston Avs., Bronx, Thursday, Dec. 13, 1923, at 9:30 A. M. JOHN F. DE ANGELI, Recorder. A. M. FANCELLI, Grand Knight.

MEYER—Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, Johanna Frederica Meyer, beloved wife of Charles H. Meyer and mother of John, Frederick and Charles H. Jr. Funeral services at her late home, 120 Pennsylvania Av., Crestwood, N. Y., Thursday, at 3 P. M., on arrival of train leaving Grand Central Station at 11:35 A. M., Harlem Division. Interment Lutheran Cemetery.

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NATHANSON—Ida (nee Stahnbok), at her residence, 2,565 Grand Concourse, Bronx, on Dec. 10, aged 64 years, widow of Moses Nathanson and devoted mother of Benjamin S. and John S. Funeral from the chapel of Saal A. Rothschild, 159 West 120th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 10 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

PARKER—At Paris, France, on Nov. 23, 1923, R. Wayne Parker, husband of Eleanor Gordon Parker. Funeral from his late home, 29 Bayebrook Place, Newark, N. J., Services will be held at Trinity Cathedral, Military Park, Newark, on Thursday morning, Dec. 13, at 11 o'clock. Interment at St. Peter's Churchyard, Perth Amboy, at the convenience of the family.

PETERKIN—Ernest G., beloved husband of Adrina Peterkin, aged 45 years, of a lingering illness following his return from active service with Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry in the World War. Peace at last. Funeral services will be held at the Church of St. Mary the Virgin in Chappaqua, N. Y., on Thursday, Dec. 13, at 2:30 P. M.

REINHART—On Saturday, Dec. 8, William A. Reinhart, in his 82d year, at his home, 200 Beach 45th St., Edgemere, L. I. Funeral services at the above mentioned address, Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 12, at 2 o'clock. Interment Trinity Cemetery, Newark, N. J.

ROBERTSON—Mary Webb Pollard, wife of Major Joseph L. Robertson, on Monday, Dec. 10, at her home, 102 Waverley Place. Funeral private. Montgomery, Ala., and Atlanta, Ga., papers please copy.

ROLLINS—Helen A., daughter of the late Gustavus A. and Emma Collins, in her 84th year, Monday, Dec. 10. Funeral services will be held at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Warburton Av., Yonkers, N. Y., on Dec. 12, at 2:30 P. M.

SAWYER—Suddenly, on Dec. 11, Laura S., in her 70th year, at her residence, the Hotel Rutledge. Funeral services private. Interment at Rensselaer, N. Y.

SCHIFF—Ida, dearly beloved mother of Harry, Max, Abe, Dave, Saul and Rose Eisenman. Funeral from 235 West End Av., New York, Monday, Dec. 17, at 2 P. M.; thence to Syracuse, N. Y., for interment Mount Judah Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

SCHLESINGER—Anna Davis, wife of the late Harry Schwatlan, beloved mother of A. Irving Allen and Phoebe Roth, suddenly on Monday, Dec. 10. Services at Myers's Funeral Parlors, 128 Lenox Av., at 2 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 12.

SHERICK—Huldah K., wife of Mark and mother of Mrs. Gertrude Rothstein, Mortimer and Adrian Sherick, on Dec. 10, at the residence of her daughter, 174 West 87th St. Notice of funeral later Hartford (Conn.) papers please copy.

SHILAND—Silas M., at Cambridge, N. Y., in her 80th year. Funeral Friday, Dec. 14, at 2 P. M.

SILVERSTEIN—Kate, age 48, beloved wife of Abraham and daughter of Nathan H. and Hanna Cohen. Funeral from the Chapel, 721 St. Nicholas Av., corner 146th St., Thursday, Dec. 13, 1923, at 10 A. M. Members of Elmer Lodge 909, F. and A. M., Elmer Chapter 740, O. E. S., Emanuel Lodge 845, F. and A. M., Minerva 25, U. O. T. S., Turker Benevolent Society cordially invited to attend. No flowers. Automobile cortege.

SILVERSTEIN—Elmer Lodge 909, F. and A. M. Brethren: You are fraternally requested to attend the funeral of Mrs. Kate Silverstein, beloved wife of our R. W. Brother Abraham Silverstein. Funeral from the Chapel, 721 St. Nicholas Av., corner 146th St., Thursday, Dec. 13, 1923, at 10 A. M.

LOUIS O. ELLNER, Master.
E. J. SCHWARZ, Secretary.

SILVERSTEIN—Elmer Chapter 740, O. E. S. It is with deep regret that announcement is made of the death of Sister Kate Silverstein, beloved wife of R. W. Brother Abraham Silverstein. Funeral from the Chapel, 721 St. Nicholas Av., corner 146th St., Thursday, Dec. 13, 1923, at 10 o'clock sharp.

SILVERSTEIN—Kate, Sisters of Minerva, No. 25, U. O. T. S., are requested to attend the funeral services of our beloved sister on Thursday, Dec. 13, at 10 A. M., at Blauman's Chapel, 721 St. Nicholas Av.

JULIA NEWMAN, President.

SLOAN—On Dec. 10, 1923, at his residence, Samuel Sloan, in the 71st year of his age. Funeral services will be held at the Adams Memorial Church, 205 East 80th St., on Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, at 8 o'clock.

SLOAN—Samuel. Brethren of Pacific Lodge No. 233, F. and A. M., are earnestly requested to attend Masonic funeral services for our late brother, Samuel Sloan, in Adams Memorial Presbyterian Church, 207 East 80th St., east of 3d Av., on Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, at 8 o'clock.

CHARLES J. WILEY, Master.
EDWARD C. WHITE, Secretary.

SPEAR—At New York City, Dec. 11, 1923, Isabella Brown, beloved wife of William M. Spear, aged 46 years. Services at her late residence, 313 West 77th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 7:30 P. M.

STERN—Freda, suddenly, Dec. 11, 1923, at her residence, 140 West 117th St., beloved daughter of Libe Stern and dear sister of Samuel, Charles Harry, Louis, Lawrence, Mrs. H. H. Dottenheim and Mrs. S. C. Friedlander. Funeral Dec. 13, 10:30 A. M., from Meyers's Funeral Parlor, 1,238 Lenox Av.

TAYLOR—On Dec. 9, 1923, Walter Samuel Taylor, at St. Luke's Hospital, husband of Georgia Taylor.

TROY—Margaret A., on Dec. 11, beloved wife of Richard E. Troy and mother of Richard A. and Frances V., at her residence, 670 Lexington Av. Funeral Friday, 9:15 A. M. Mass of requiem at St. Patrick's Cathedral at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Automobile cortege. Dutchess County papers please copy.

TULLY—On Dec. 10, 1923, Josephine, daughter of the late Joseph J. and Sarah Byers Tully, in the sixty-first year of her age. Funeral service will be held at the residence of her sister, Mrs. George Furman Smith, at 2,504 Newkirk Av., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 2 P. M., and at Christ Church, Cornell St., on Thursday the 13th, at 11 o'clock.

VAN BRUNT—Suddenly, at her residence, Larchmont Gardens, N. Y., Monday, Dec. 10, 1923, Ella Fletcher, beloved wife of James K. Van Brunt. Funeral private. Interment Woodlawn, Conn.

VON FLIEDNER—William, son of Mrs. H. Greenspecht, on Monday. Funeral services at Stephen Merritt Harlem Chapel, 504 West 126th St., Thursday, 10:30 A. M.

WEISS—Sidney, dearly beloved son of Ben and Emma Weiss. Funeral at 9 o'clock from his late residence, 1,540 7th Av.

WHITLOCK—Sidney B., husband of Mae G. Whitlock, on Dec. 10. Funeral services Campbell Funeral Church, Broadway, 66th St., Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 2 P. M. Interment private.

In Memoriam.

BALLIN—In loving and never-to-be-forgotten memory of our dear wife and daughter, Fannie Judd Gray Ballin, who passed away on Dec. 12, 1918.
MOTHER—HUSBAND.

BERNHARDT—In cherished memory of Hannah Bernhardt, dearly beloved mother of Joseph and Frances Bernhardt, who died on the 19th of Kislev, 5680 (Dec. 12, 1919).
Still, mother dear, we miss thy tender care,
Thy gentle words, thy fond devotion,
Thy ministrations sweet, thy goodness rare.
Thy mother love as boundless as the ocean.
(Authorship claimed).
JOSEPH BERNHARDT.

CALVERT—William E. Calvert, in fond, sacred memory of our beloved husband and father who passed away Dec. 12, 1918.
WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

CIRKER—Isaac, in fond memory of a devoted husband and dear father who passed away Dec. 12, 1920.
WIFE AND CHILDREN.

CROXSON—In loving memory of Louis Howard Croxson, who died Dec. 13, 1921.
BERTHA AND PAUL.

CROXSON—Louis Howard, in ever loving memory.
J. S. AND I. S. F.

FRANKEL—Benjamin, departed Dec. 12, 1921.
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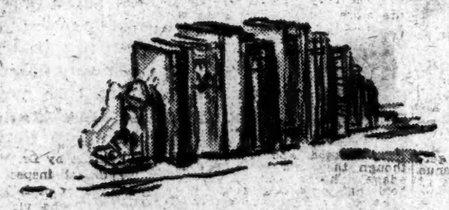

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Contributions of $8,891.96 were received yesterday for the neediest cases, making a total of $14,694.46 received to date. Yesterday's contributions, although higher than those of the day before, were more than $1,000 less than the same day of the appeal last year. Thousands and thousands of gifts must be sent in if the fund is once more successfully to cope with the need.

The situation for the Hundred Neediest Cases is desperate, and the response to their appeal should be prompt and generous. Last year, when the fund exceeded $157,000, more than 200 instances of family or individual want were taken care of. This year there are just as many waiting for aid. Until the original 100 and their needs are cared for, those who hope to share in the city's good-heartedness must continue to wait.

Although the sum was lower than on the same day last year, the number of contributors yesterday was greater. No large gifts, like the two $1,000 donations of Monday, were received, but the small givers, those who are after all the backbone of the campaign to dispel distress, began to enlist. So far, social clubs and Sunday school classes, which in the past have been potent factors in raising the sum sought, have not been in the lists.

Gifts Spread Happiness.

With the certainty that every cent of their gifts will go at once and without deduction to the object of their charity, there must be hundreds of thousands among New York's millions who will extend a hand to their less fortunate neighbors. Families now deep in troubles—not of their own making—can be helped across the bridge between despair and confidence, between poverty and prosperity, to their own gain—the gain of the giver and the gain of the community itself.

No agents or solicitors are authorized to collect money for the Hundred Neediest Cases. The only method of contribution is by mail or personal calls to THE NEW YORK TIMES or to the six relief organizations listed below.

Contributors, welcoming Christmas in their own comfortable homes, will have a double joy in the knowledge that in another home their gifts have brought happiness, health and perhaps even saved that home.

In every case the money sought is the estimated cost of keeping the family or the individual for a year. The relief extended is not transient—dollars given now will be performing their merciful work this time next year. An instance of this sustaining feature of the Hundred Neediest Cases is reported on this page today. It shows what happened to a mother whose plight was told in 1913.

Three Cases Taken Care Of.

Three of the one hundred cases were closed out yesterday, and one of them, Case 12, "Peter, U. S. A.," was twice taken care of. The donor of the second gift will be asked to divert his contribution to another case. "Peter, U. S. A.," is the infant son of an ex-service man and an ex-service nurse. Until yesterday the flag waved over Peter and that was about all.

The case of the baby was reported by the State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second Street, and Mrs. Frederick Brockway, representing the Nurses' Association of Manhattan and the Bronx, called for him. She said that the nurses at a meeting on Monday had decided to adopt Peter and to take care of his mother also. In addition, a donor to the fund wrote to THE NEW YORK TIMES as follows:

"In reading over your list of Hundred Neediest Cases, reported in the Sunday TIMES of Dec. 9, I was particularly struck by Case 12, and if you like you can notify the association that I will assume responsibility for the $400 required to see Peter and his mother through."

The next case to be taken from the list was No. 37, "Eyes That Grow Dimmer," which told the plight of an elderly widow, lately bereaved, now endeavoring to earn her living by sewing, while her two parrots tried to help out by looking on with noisy encouragement. An anonymous contributor sent a check for the entire amount sought.

Case No. 52, called "Kenneth, Grace and Charles," brought this letter:

"Confirming our talk over the telephone this morning, I am enclosing check for $100 to take care of this case. The balance, $350, will be paid at a later date or whenever you need it. I have been seriously considering 'adopting a family,' not having a family of my own to take care of, and possibly this family might fill the bill."

Offer Homes to Baby Robert.

Robert, 5 months old, the principal of Case No. 6, is attracting a great deal of sympathy. Two more homes were offered to him yesterday, making three so far. Three youthful contributors, sending in their own gifts, made it very clear that the donation was "for Robert." One of the givers is a namesake, while little Rita Wilhelm wrote, "I do hope that Robert will get the $200."

Richard and his mother remember "Jimmie," the youthful drifter of Case No. 24.

Julius Kruttschnitt, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company, many years a giver to the fund, sent a check for $250 for Case No. 1, "The Old Toymaker." Rubbing elbows with Mr. Kruttschnitt's gift was a $10 note with this letter:

"Please accept this small sum as my contribution to your yearly fund. Use it according to your judgment. I am only a working man and I wish I could do more."

Another letter, signed anonymously, said:

"Enclosed find $5 for the fund. I have been in the habit of putting a wreath on my wife's grave on this day, but reading your account of the neediest, think that this money will be used to better advantage to help the unfortunate. I will try to send this amount to the fund each year in her name."

Among the gifts yesterday were twenty sent "in memory of" some loved one. This makes nearly thirty memorials sent to the fund so far this year.

A unique gift was a check for $2.25 from a Jersey woman who said that the sum represented the cents "that came into the house since September." A Norwegian, noting that Case 46 told of John Henderson, who came from Norway sixty years ago, sent $1 "for my countryman."

Two cases that so far have been submerged in the appeal, perhaps because other cases have children among the sufferers, are those that told the story of a gentle old lady and a sailor—both traveling alone and drawing near the journey's end. The story of Jim Morris, and that's not his real name, is:

CASE 3.
Ebb Tide for a Sailor.

Jim Morris might have slipped from the pages of Conrad. Vigorous, brave and wholesome, he followed the sea for many years. As an able seaman on a sailing ship he saw the sun dip down beyond the faraway parts of the world, and the stormy spray of many waters beat ruddiness into his jovial face. Lustiest of all in the chanteys when the anchor came aboard was Jim—happy-go-lucky in the noontide of his strength. Now, at 75, he finds himself becalmed. He is too feeble to seek a new berth. Jim's tide is going out and running fast, but he will not let himself be grounded. Often in the hours when Jim is spinning yarns of the places he has seen and the things he has done, he will pause—as if he saw a shadow stealing over a sun-bright patch of sea—and swear that he will never give up his freedom and his liberty. He wants to remain in the quiet harbor of his choice, but he cannot unless aid is given.

Amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Catholic Charities, 480 Lexington Avenue. (Telephone Vanderbilt 3420.)

The other story is told in:

CASE 55.
A Roomer Old and Poor.

A delicate little old lady, more than threescore and ten, has lived long in a tiny room on the upper east side. Years ago she lost her husband and her only child, a son, the two who had thought they would never let mother want for anything. They were prosperous then, and probably would have scoffed at a picture showing the sturdy little mother of those days as a roomer, old and poor. For years after her double sorrow she supported herself by doing fine laundry. Those years are past, and she can earn no more. Her strength is failing. The neighbors who chance in now and then find the old gentlewoman in bed—thinking, thinking. The buffetings of the years seem to have left her but one hope—that she may live in her friendly sheltering room until her spirit is released at last. She must be cared for properly through her last days.

Amount needed, $360.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

Perhaps it is the belief that a Scot always struggles back that has caused neglect of Case 75. Reports show, however, an "urgent call for help" for:

CASE 75.
A Scotch Mother's Losing Fight.

Born in Scotland, W. and his wife came here within a few months of each other. Mrs. W. was very young when she married. Her husband was the steady, responsible, hard-working kind. He took all the family cares on his own shoulders. He worked for eleven years for an old New York firm, and when he died of pneumonia after only four days' illness the firm gave the family $1,400. It seemed to Mrs. W. that the only way to support the five growing children was to start a small confectionery and tobacco store. But willingness did not counterbalance her lack of business experience, and the shop failed in a few months. The collapse of the venture sapped Mrs. W.'s health. Grace, one of the girls, was found to have cardiac trouble and was placed under treatment at a clinic. Last October the only boy, Tommy, was killed by a truck. Mrs. W. had taken work in a factory. The death of the son prostrated her. She fainted often at her work, and at last had to give up. There is an urgent call for help to save this household.

Amount needed, $528.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

The fund, in the opinion of Darwin R. James, President of the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, one of the organizations participating in the appeal, serves as the link between the friend in deed and those in need.

"The Board of Directors," said Mr. James, "wishes to express its appreciation of your assistance through the Hundred Neediest Cases. The idea so nobly conceived, the plan so thoroughly carried out, and the good so well done are worthy alike of the cause and the fund. Sickness, want, widowhood, loneliness may come at any time, but there is always a generous heart that will answer each need if only the two can meet. THE NEW YORK TIMES Hundred Neediest Cases is the connection between those who are in need and those who have an abundance. This means happiness to both them that give and them that receive.

Fund Draws No Lines.

"As want is no respector of persons so the fund recognizes neither race nor creed in its annual appeal as regards the families and the societies. This indifference to individuals cannot but promote greater tolerance and good-will among men. It is already a force that is helping to draw closer together many societies, and givers who have too long been separated by race or creed.

"But New York City is not the only place that is benefited by the example of THE NEW YORK TIMES in Christmas appeals. Many other great papers in many cities now follow this plan of doing their part in bringing good cheer and sustained help to needy families. Other variations have also appeared, and many clubs have been stimulated to undertake Christmas giving. Thus the circle widens and good begets good.

"In the greatness of the vision of the fund there has not been overlooked the fact that Brooklyn, with its almost two and a quarter million people, is an integral part of the greater city of New York. You have long included families from the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities and given them equal consideration. Without such recognition and help it would be hard indeed to care properly for the families that come to us for help. We thank you and through you all those who contribute. We join with the other societies in the pledge that every cent received through the appeal will go to the families without deduction."

Appeal is renewed for "Mary" and for "Amy," an overburdened girl who cannot follow the dictates of her heart, and a mite of a child who is a cripple. These cases so far have not been recognized:

CASE 28.
Mary.

Mary is deeply in love, but cannot say yes to the man who has been asking her to marry him for the last two years. There are three reasons why this eighteen-year-old girl, dark and shy, feels that she must remain single—going down the years alone with only the memory of what might have been. Her father is violently insane. The man knows but does not care. Her mother is far gone with tuberculosis. Mary's sweetheart counts that a reason why she needs a protector. There is a third barrier. Mary is the sole support of her three small brothers and her two young sisters. The man could not support them all, though he is willing to try. Mary is earning $14 a week and she will not shift to his shoulders a responsibility which she considers hers. Even stretching the $14 further than seems possible, the girl cannot win her battle without aid.

Amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

CASE 36.
Amy Is a Cripple.

Amy's long curls bobbed up and down as she rocked her doll in her arms. Then she turned back the doll's dress, rubbed its legs, set it on its feet and proceeded to make it walk. "Keep your leg straight; now bend your knee," she said over and over. The game came easily to Amy, for she had had to struggle harder than the doll to learn to walk. She was only a baby when infantile paralysis crippled her leg, and she still has to wear a heavy brace. For a long time she had to have a stiff jacket on her body and a plaster cast on her leg, but now she can hobble around. When she is a little older the doctors plan an operation that will give the lame leg a chance to develop, but until then she must be patient. While she is waiting for the operation she needs care and clothing. She is growing taller, too, and the brace has to be changed frequently to give her just the right support. She has no mother or father, and her board must be paid.

Amount needed, $400.

Case reported by State Charities Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second Street. Telephone Gramercy 1454.)

Problems that are widely different in everything but their urgent need are still awaiting solution. Here are two:

CASE 67.
Too Tired to Speak.

When the nurse first called at the home of the D. family the mother was almost too tired to speak. She had just come in from cleaning and scrubbing offices. She had started to her job before 5 o'clock in the morning, and now, after doing her housework, she was going to the hospital to see her sick husband before returning to the night half of her charring. She was earning the only income in the house, but her efforts were inadequate to provide for the five children—Dora, 14; Ernest, 12; Charlotte, 7; Lucy, 4, and Jerry, 9 and crippled. The children seldom saw their mother. Dora wakened the younger ones every day, gave them their scanty breakfast, and started them off to school before Mrs. D. came back from her early morning work. Not always had conditions been like this. Before he broke down from tuberculosis Thomas D. worked and his family lived comfortably. But it is unlikely that he will ever work again. Before the mother breaks down, too, it is hoped that a fund may be on hand for a year at least. The tired woman will find some rest, the children will see more of her. Dora can be a child again, crippled Jerry can have treatement and Thomas D. will feel happy for the first time since his health failed.

Amount needed $1,080.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 62.
Their Second Little Brood.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. are an elderly couple who have taken into their home in the late years of their life four grandchildren, orphans of their widowed daughters. During the illness of the older daughter the kind old couple mortgaged their home and spent all their savings in an effort to keep her alive. Before very long the younger daughter died after a brief and sad married life. She left behind her Billy, a bright-eyed boy of 6. Mr. Q. went back to his work as laborer and his wife has washed and cooked for her second family as she did long ago for her first. The children are under13 years of age and are touchingly devoted to the old people. The Q's have always been independent, and nothing but their sterling determination to keep together their second little brood could induce them to ask help. But help must come if they are not to fall.

Amount needed, $700.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200.)

Home saving is an important function of the fund, and in other years the generosity of subscribers to the Hundred Neediest Cases has been the salvation of hundreds of family circles. Homes can be held together by assistance for these cases:

CASE 7.
Shall Their Home Pass?

Somewhere among the city's tenements is a dark room where a woman sits by the hour turning out artificial roses. When the light of dawn creeps in she starts to work on the heap of gay buds that grows through the day. And on into the late hours, when the city sleeps and the only sound to break her solitude is the occasional rumble of distant traffic, her fingers twist the petals into shape. Near her a big-framed man sits in a chair—the victim of a defective heart that may stop at any moment. Five children, none ready for school yet, wonder why father never stirs, and watch the flower-forming fingers of the mother move all through the day and evening with scarcely a pause. A year ago Michael N. was a robust longshoreman, and his earnings were ample for the modest needs of his family. He dropped one day on the pier and the doctor said that the least exertion would kill him. It was useless to put him in a hospital, so that is why he sits at home, a huge hulking figure, helpless as a baby. The family has lived in the same flat for ten years. The landlord has not raised the rent, but, such as it is, it must be met. Otherwise their home will pass.

Amount needed, $900.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 32.
Eight in an Attic.

Because of her seven children, whose father is dead, Mrs. H. stands long hours over the washtub and the ironing board earning the pittance that is her only income. Five of the children are boys—16, 13, 10, 4 and 2—and the girls are 8 and 7. Mrs. H. is engaged in a losing fight, for she cannot earn anything near the amount needed to feed and clothe the seven. Looming up directly ahead of the struggling widow is the prospect that the children will be torn from her and put in homes. The home they have is in an attic, and in spite of all the bitter problems and the biting hunger, happiness dwells among them. The tie between the children is unusually strong. But unless outside help is given, the home will be broken up.

Amount needed, $800.

Case reported by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn. (Telephone Main 8200.)

CASE 35.
A Victim of Fire.

A flare of fire touched Mrs. C. at midnight when she was ironing in her dreary kitchen in a rickety old tenement, five flights up. She continued ironing in almost mechanical way. She was thinking of the hard day she had had and of the harder day she would have on the morrow. In fact, all her days were hard, now that her husband was sick and could not work. Their four children would soon be crying for food and there would be none to give them. Thus she mused. The flare of fire became a blaze. She found herself enveloped. Her clothing was burning and her skin was blistering. The doctors saved her life, but she had to spend months in hospitals. Her husband's health has improved slightly, but he can do only light work. Louis, 16, has a job, but his wages, along with the mite earned by his father, are far too small to care for the family.

Amount needed, $494.

Case reported by the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, 114 Fifth Avenue. (Telephone Watkins 7050.)

The New York Times made its first Christmas appeal for the Hundred Neediest Cases in 1912. So this is the twelfth year. The record of receipts in the eleven previous years follows:

1912	$3,630.88
1913	9,646.36
1914	15,032.46
1915	31,819.92
*1916	55,792.45
*1917	62,103.47
*1918	81,097.57
*1919	106,967.14
*1920	111,126.00
*1921	125,011.10
*1922	157,421.03

*200 cases each year since 1916.

No agents or solicitors are authorized to seek contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases.

Checks should be made payable to the "Hundred Neediest Cases Fund." Contributions may be sent to THE NEW YORK TIMES, Times Square, New York City, or to any of the following organizations which present the cases:

THE NEW YORK ASSOCIATION FOR IMPROVING THE CONDITION OF THE POOR, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE STATE CHARITIES AID ASSOCIATION, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE CHARITY ORGANIZATION SOCIETY, 105 East Twenty-second Street.

THE BROOKLYN BUREAU OF CHARITIES, 69 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn.

THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES, 480 Lexington Avenue.

THE FEDERATION FOR THE SUPPORT OF JEWISH PHILANTHROPIC SOCIETIES, 114 Fifth Avenue.

The six charity organizations which administer the Hundred Neediest Cases do so free of cost. There is no deduction of any kind, administrative or executive. Every dollar and every cent contributed goes to the Neediest.

Gifts for Neediest Cases Yesterday, $8,891; Total Received for the Fund Now Is $14,694

Contributions for the Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $8,891.96, making a total of $14,694.46 received so far this year. Contributions were received as follows:

Through The New York Times	$7,721.46
Through the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	543.50
Through the Charity Organization Society	345.00
Through the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	187.00
Through the State Charities Aid Association	190.00
Through the Catholic Charities	27.00
Through the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies	179.00
Total	$8,891.96
Previously acknowledged	5,802.50
Complete total	$14,694.46

Contributions received direct through The New York Times:

Anonymous	$23	Hardy, Miss H. E.	5	Nash, W. B.	25
Anonymous	100	Harrington, Mrs. N.	2	N. D.	5
Anonymous	10	Harrison, B. J.	25	Nelson, G. N.	100
Anonymous	3	Hayden, Mrs. H. J.	25	Neubauer, Mrs. M.	5
Anonymous	20	Hayes, J. M.	5	Neuwirth, Isaac	1
Anonymous	2	Heagle, Grace W.	10	Newberger, E. S.	100
Anonymous	5	Hendricks, Myetilia	25	Newman, Leon	10
Anonymous	100	Hermann, Mrs. A.	5	Nicholson, Jane H.	10
Anonymous	5	Herrick, Mrs. A.	10	Norton, Nathaniel	10
Anonymous	1	V. B.	5	N. S. R., Mrs.	25
Anonymous	5	Herz, Mrs. T.	2	O'Donald, C. R.	10
Anonymous	15	Heyman, C. J.	10	Oglesby, Mrs. M. C.	5
Anonymous	5	Hill, Jessie M.	5	Osborn, Eliz. A.	10
Anonymous	25	Hiltman, Mrs. J. W.	12	Osgood, Mrs. A. K.	10
Anonymous	1	H. M.	50	Parson, E.	5
Anonymous	10	Holt, Constance	5	Paznon, Plates	1
Anonymous	2	Holt, George C.	25	Pease, Mr. and Mrs. H.	5
A Friend	2	Holt, Miss Helen	5	Peck, Grace	5
A Friend	2	Holt, Sylvia	5	Pegay	15
A Friend	10	Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. N. R.	25	Pelikan, H. E.	25
A Norwegian	1	Howland, C. F.	5	Pell, H. C.	25
A Reader	1	Howland, Louise	5	Post, Frank	25
A Stenographer	5	Humphrey, Miss B.	1	Post, Mary H.	25
A Sympathizer	25	Hustis, Mrs. J. H. Jr.	10	Priscilla	2
A Times Employe	10	Hutzler, Morton D.	25	Pryor, M. McK.	2
A Widow	1	Iserman, Buddy and Alice	10	Pryor, Mrs. S. M.	10
An Anonymous Friend	2	In Memory of— A. E. W.	50	Quackenbush, W.	10
A. L. Z.	5	In Memory of— Grandparents, by John H. Ball	25	Rentrdehl, Sigrid	3
B.	20	In Memory of— Little Ida	5	Richard and His Mother	5
Abbot, Helen D.	1	In Loving Memory of— Mother	10	Riles, Mrs. A.	2.71
Abrons, Louis W.	25	In Memory of— My Mother, by Mrs. C. Epstein	10	R. J.	50
Allen, R. N.	1	In Memory of— My Mother, by Julia M. Woodbury	5	Robitschek, Edna F.	5
Alexander	25	In Memory of— A. McC.	100	Roche, E. S.	10
Amagansett	3	In Memory of— "Carla"	25	Romer, Mr. and Mrs. J. I.	200
Anderson, E. S.	10	In Memory of— Caroline Jackson	10	Rosenthal, Mrs. M. S.	10
Angle, A.	1	In Memory of— C. J. G., from M. C. H.	10	Rosluschein, D.	10
Asamann, Flora H.	5	In Memory of— Dec. 22	25	Rothchild, Miss M. B.	10
Benedict, Minne M.	10	In Memory of— F. C. N.	5	Sackett, Walter L.	10
Benet, Frances R.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Sattler, Gus	25
Benet, Laura	5	In Memory of— Grandparents, by John H. Ball	25	Scherman, Katherine H.	5
Benson, Annie	5	In Memory of— Little Ida	5	Schlesinger, A. C.	10
Berry, Mrs. D. C.	5	In Loving Memory of— Mother	10	Sconce, Flor. E.	2.25
Berry, Harriette C.	5	In Memory of— My Mother, by Julia M. Woodbury	5	Scully, L. M.	5
B. F. L.	1	In Memory of— A. McC.	100	Seay, Elise J.	5
Bickart, M.	25	In Memory of— "Carla"	25	Sheon, Col. H. H.	10
Bigelow, Miss A. B.	10	In Memory of— Grandparents, by John H. Ball	25	Silver, Ruth	4
Billy and Charlie	2	In Memory of— Grandparents, by Little Ida	5	Skelton, M. Susan	5
Blayer, Leonard	10	In Memory of— Mother	10	Smith, H. E.	10
Blitz, T.	10	In Memory of— My Mother, by Julia M. Woodbury	5	Smith & Nichols	10
Blum, Estelle	8	In Memory of— My Mother, by Mrs. C. Epstein	10	Smith, Ross K.	5
Blum, Mrs. M. M.	50	In Memory of— Father	25	Smith, Mrs. W. B.	5
"Bona"	100	In Memory of— Father	10	Smoyar, Frank	10
Bouck, Zeh	3	In Memory of— Father	10	Sniffen, Isaac B.	10
Brearley, Mrs. G. M.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Spencer, Mrs. R.	5
Brogan, John J.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Standinger, C. R.	25
Brooks, B. G.	150	In Memory of— Father	10	Steckler, "Sonny" and Irene	100
Brougham, Marcus	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Stein, Albert	20
Brunn, C.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Stein, Emma	10
Buck, G. H.	3	In Memory of— Father	10	Steinhardt, M.	25
Buffum, W. N.	15	In Memory of— Father	10	Stellwagen, F. L.	10
Burt, Alice R.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Strauss, Charles	100
Bush, A.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Strauss, Miss E.	1
Camacho, Mrs. L. A.	2	In Memory of— Father	10	Stern, Mrs. W.	5
Carroll, Alice J.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Stocky, Mrs. M. L.	5
Chapin, Harriet P.	1	In Memory of— Father	10	Strong, William	25
Cobb, Catherine	25	In Memory of— Father	10	T.	10
Coffin, G.	100	In Memory of— Father	10	Talbert, Elizabeth	5
Coffin, E. W.	15	In Memory of— Father	10	Tatum, Mrs. A. H.	10
Cohn, Albert	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Taylor, Allen M.	5
Converse, J. K.	2	In Memory of— Father	10	Taylor, Master S.	5
Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. E. G.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Thiele, Mrs. C. M.	5
Cornell, Alfred Y.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Thiele, Emma S.	5
Danbel, J. A.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Thompson, Mrs. M.	5
Darrin, Ella Reid	10	In Memory of— Father	10	L.	5
Dart, Edward	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Torre, John	5
Daunt, Alice D.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Townsend, Miss M. L.	100
Davtison, W. L.	15	In Memory of— Father	10	Traub, Miss Belle	2
Dittenhoefer, L.	25	In Memory of— Father	10	Trier,	2
Douglas, Mrs. B. Jr.	50	In Memory of— Father	10	Turle, Mrs. R. H.	100
Dunlop, Judson	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Uhler, Kathleen S.	5
Durlacher, S.	25	In Memory of— Father	10	Vokes, C. G. S.	12.50
E. E. M.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Voorhaus, Bernard and William	50
Egner, A. C.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Walden, Miss S. S.	10
Eight Friends	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Walker, R. C., Jr.	25
E. W. K.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Wallis, A. A.	5
Fackert, Dorothy M.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Warren, Mrs. G. H.	100
Falk, E. S.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Webster, Dr. F. C.	10
Fenstman, L. P.	40	In Memory of— Father	10	Wedgewood, K. L.	25
Fish, Nettie A.	1	In Memory of— Father	10	Wells, Lottie Virginia Edith	10
Fl. L.	1	In Memory of— Father	10	White, J. G.	100
Flygare, Mr. and Mrs. G. G.	25	In Memory of— Father	10	Widdowfield, J. B.	5
Foreman, Mrs. E. H.	50	In Memory of— Father	10	Wilhelm, Rita	2
Fraternheimer, Miss E.	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Willkie, Eleanor M.	10
French, Mrs. J. S.	25	In Memory of— Father	10	Willingly	5
Friend of Suffra-		In Memory of— Father	10	Wilmerding, Magdelaine	5
Friend of Motherless	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Wise, Mrs. E.	100
From a Friend	10	In Memory of— Father	10	Wilson, C. I.	10
From a Friend	10	In Memory of— Father	10	W. J. F.	2
From G. C. B.	50	In Memory of— Father	10	Wolfe, S. H.	50
From Emma	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Wolff, Arthur	30
From a 306th Infantryman	100	In Memory of— Father	10	Wolff, F. R.	10
F. W. C.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Wolfstein, Rosa	1
Gallagher, J.	200	In Memory of— Father	10	Wright, R. L.	5
G. M. E.	2	In Memory of— Father	10	W. W.	50
Goebel, Miss F.	5	In Memory of— Father	10	Ziesnitz, Mrs. A., and Young, Mrs. Ella M.	2
Goldfrank, Philip and George	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Goldsmith, Miss S.	3	In Memory of— Father	10		
Gon, S.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Goose, Fred A.	5	In Memory of— Father	10		
Gray, Helen D.	5	In Memory of— Father	10		
Gray, Mrs. J. C.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Greebee, Edith G.	1	In Memory of— Father	10		
Grier, Miss F. C.	5	In Memory of— Father	10		
Grisfield, F. I.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Guilbert, Maytelle B.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Guthrie, Miss E. W.	5	In Memory of— Father	10		
Guyer, Elsa	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
Haft, Jacob S.	1	In Memory of— Father	10		
Hahn, Mrs. B.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		
H.	1	In Memory of— Father	10		
Hallett, A. P.	5	In Memory of— Father	10		
Hamburger, L.	25	In Memory of— Father	10		
Hand, Lloyd	2	In Memory of— Father	10		
Hanson, Mrs. C. A.	10	In Memory of— Father	10		

Contributions received through the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor:

Anonymous	$10	Howard, C.	2
Bailey, R. F.	5	Howes, Mary L.	5
Bryant, Sadie A.	10	K. M. N.	1
Burritt, Edith P.	10	Kellogg, Katherine	10
Calkins, Emma W.	10	Lomis, Miss M.	5
Carla	100	McMullen, Caroline	50
Cash	23	Messenger, I. M.	4
Chandler, Mrs. D. H.	5	Messenger, Leila M.	2
Chapin, Mrs. E. B.	5	Mott, Lewis F.	20
Clarke, Mrs. A. F.	20	Midgley, Beatrice	5
Dodds, Mrs. M. M.	10	Peiser, Eva L.	6.50
Edey, Mrs. C. L.	10	Pitkin, Mrs. A. J.	240
Fulton, Elizabeth.	6	Rockwell Bertha L.	5
"H. W. B."	2	Rush, Mrs. J. C.	2
Hammett, Mary L.	10	Sanders, C. B.	10
Harmon, Ella W.	3	Taylor, Mrs. B. M.	2
Harris, Mrs. W. M.	25	Tiemann, Kate H.	5
Hooper, Mrs. G. A.	5	Wight, N. M.	15

Total $542.50

Contributions received through the Charity Organization Society:

Bailey, Frank L.	$100	Leubuscher, F. C.	$100
Bimmle L. R.	2	Lewis, Mr. and Mrs.	
Holmes, A. B.	5	Mrs. A.	1
Hyde, Marg't E.	5	Purdy, Mrs. C. R.	20
Johson, Mrs. R. D.	10	Taylor, Mrs. B. W.	2

Total $245

Contributions received through the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities:

Chamberlin, Ella C.	85	Litchfield, Miss M.	10
Coons, Mrs. R. C.	5	Nichols, Adelaide	
Cox, S.	5	Lacey, Grace	10
Dyer, Mrs.	1	Perter, Nelly A.	10
Fenner, Mrs.	1	Rice, Bertha M.	10
Griffen, Edith C.	10	Saltzman, Col. C. McK., Sig. Corps	100
Johnson, Edna T.	10	Wilson, Lois B. and William	10

Total $187

Contributions received through the State Charities Aid Association:

Anonymous	$1	In Memoriam	10
Bauman, Frances	5	King, Weston T.	2
Connell, G. L.	5	Lucas, A.	10
Eccles, Marg't E.	100	Rice, Mrs. W. B.	10
Friedman, Milton	5	Wiebusch, C. F.	10
Hitchcock, Mrs.	5	Wright, John K.	20
T.	5	Wonderlich, Elsa	2
Howland, Mrs. W.	51		

Total $190

Contributions received through the Catholic Charities:

A Catholic	$1	Golden, F.	$1
Carlsen, Georgiana	10	Weissager, W. H.	5
Duffy, Julia A.	5	Wonderlich, Miss E.	2
Friedman, Milton	5		

Total $27

Contributions received through the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies:

Coon Can Club	$30	Kohn, Eleanor F.	$100
Friedman, Milton	5	Levy, Mrs. Simon	5
G. K.	3	Steinhardt, Miss R.	5
Henry, Miss F.	10	Sympathy	1
Hitz, Monroe	10	Weissoy, W. H.	5
Kaiser, Mrs. A.	5		

Total $179

OFFICIALS ENDORSE SIXTH AV. SUBWAY

McAneny Says He Favors Principle of Assessing Cost to Property Owners.

DIFFER AS TO EXPENSE

Wisdom of Connection With Washington Heights Line, However, Is Questioned.

The proposal of Julius Miller, Borough President of Manhattan, to remove the elevated railroad in Sixth Avenue and to build a subway under that street to be paid for by assessments on the abutting property owners met with the qualified approval of transit and city officials yesterday.

Mr. Miller's suggestion for the method of payment, provided it should be found feasible, met with general approval. The other part of his proposal that the new subway should connect with the proposed Washington Heights subway was not so favorably regarded. George McAneny, Chairman of the Transit Commission, said that he would regard a new subway in Sixth Avenue as a substitute for the present elevated railroad, but indicated he was not convinced of the wisdom of putting the traffic it would carry into other transit lines. Mr. McAneny promised that the commission would give full consideration to Mr. Miller's proposal as soon as it was presented to that body.

The proposal of Borough President Miller for the taking down of the Sixth Avenue elevated railroad structure and the substitution of a subway to run from Fifty-ninth Street to Morris Street at the Battery appeals very strongly to the Transit Commission, and, if shown to be feasible, will undoubtedly have its approval," Mr. McAneny said.

Sees Owners Benefitted.

"The removal of that part of the structure running from Third Street north to Fifty-eighth Street through Sixth Avenue I have advocated upon various occasions, and I have been convinced that the cost of the work, certainly that part of it, could readily be carried through assessments levied upon the abutting property. The result would be of signal benefit not only to the traffic conditions of the city and the development of the central section of Manhattan, but to the property owners themselves. I believe that without exception they would find the enhancement of their frontage values far in excess of the total amount of any assessment that might be levied.

"President Miller has presented the subject very completely and in a manner that is bound to bring out helpful discussion. When his plans are presented officially to the Transit Commission, as suggested in the communication to the Board of Estimate, the commission will take up in detail the problems of construction and operation they present, and will hear both the immediate promoters of the plan and the representatives of the property apt to be affected.

"From such estimates of the cost of the work prepared today

RECOGNITION GIVEN TO POLICE HEROES

Names of Two Patrolmen Killed by Gunmen Ordered Placed on Memorial Tablet.

MANY CITED FOR BRAVERY

Silver and Bronze Medals Awarded to Eight for First-Aid-to-Injured Work.

Acting Police Commissioner John A. Leach, in a general order sent out yesterday, awarded Honorable Mention to two policemen who were killed in the performance of duty, two acting detective sergeants and three patrolmen. One acting captain, two lieutenants, one sergeant, twenty-six detectives and thirty-nine patrolmen received commendation. The Commissioner also awarded four silver and four bronze medals bestowed by the Society for Instruction in First Aid to the Injured to eight patrolmen. The general order citing the bravery of the policemen follows:

Office of the Police Commissioner,
New York, Dec. 11, 1923.
General Orders No. 47.

Departmental recognition is awarded to the following members of the force for meritorious conduct performed in the line of duty:

HONORABLE MENTION.

(Names to be placed on tablet at Police Headquarters.)

Frank E. Romanella, 29th Precinct, and Charles J. Reynolds, 116th Precinct, were shot and killed July 26, 1923. While riding over the Queensborough Bridge in an auto the patrolmen heard a woman in a taxicab shouting for help. They pursued the taxi, overtaking it in front of 1,174 Second Avenue, Manhattan. The driver and the occupants of the machine were placed under arrest. Patrolmen Romanella and Reynolds jumped on the taxicab and ordered the chauffeur to drive to the 51st Precinct station house. As they reached Sixty-fourth Street and Second Avenue some one in the taxi drew a revolver and fired, striking both patrolmen, who fell to the street, and the taxi escaped.

Acting Detective Sergeants.

John F. Cordes, Detective Division, on March 29, 1923, while riding south on Lexington Avenue in an automobile, observed two men enter the United cigar store at 954 Lexington Avenue. Being suspicious, Detective Cordes entered the store under the pretense of purchasing cigars. Two men were behind the counter and as the detective asked to be waited on one of the men ordered the other to wait on the detective. From their actions Detective Cordes concluded that they were impostors and made known his identity. One of the men drew a revolver and fired, the bullet hitting Detective Cordes's right thumb. As one of the men came from behind the counter Detective Cordes fired, though injured, the bullet entering the criminal's abdomen. Three more shots were fired by the man who previously had fired at the detective, and one of the bullets lodged in Detective Cordes's shoulder. Despite his injuries, the detective covered his man and summoned assistance.

Francis X. Nugent, Detective Division, arrested a man who attempted to shoot another on July 1, 1923. The detective was given a vague description of the culprit, and while making an investigation in the neighborhood observed a man standing on the corner of Jewett Avenue and Bennett Street, Staten Island, who seemed to tally with the description. Detective Nugent approached the man in question, and as he did so the latter assaulted the officer. While struggling for possession of a revolver which the culprit attempted to draw it was discharged twice, one of the bullets entering Detective Nugent's right leg. Although badly wounded, the detective got possession of the revolver, held his prisoner, and turned him over to a sergeant whose attention was attracted by the shots. When searched another revolver, fully loaded, was found on the prisoner.

Patrolmen.

Thomas A. Lilienthal, Fourth Precinct, and Leo F. Tuohey, Traffic Precinct A, on May 5, 1923, arrested two of three hold-up men. A messenger of the Pitman Trucking Company was held up in the Chambers Street subway and robbed of a payroll amounting to $4,975. A citizen who witnessed the robbery notified Patrolman Tuohey, who gave chase. While in pursuit of the criminals several shots were fired, which attracted the attention of Patrolman Lilienthal, who was on his way to the station house to report for duty. Patrolman Lilienthal joined in pursuit, and when within a few feet of one of the fugitives, the latter turned about and fired, without effect. Patrolman Lilienthal returned the fire, one bullet entering the criminal's stomach and another his shoulder. By this time Patrolman Tuohey caught up and captured the second man. The third man escaped.

Bernard J. Greene, Twenty-sixth Precinct, while on patrol, Aug. 6, 1922, had his attention attracted to an unknown man on West Fifty-fifth Street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues, who was discharging a revolver, and observed a man lying on the street. He stepped behind an automobile to screen his approach to the man with the revolver, and almost immediately a shot was fired at him which entered his right forearm. Just as the unknown man again attempted to pull the trigger the patrolman drew his revolver from its holster with his left hand and shot the man in the abdomen. The three men were removed to Roosevelt Hospital, where it was found that the man who had done the shooting was a patrolman, off duty, and in civilian clothes.

COMMENDATION.

Acting Capt. John J. Gallagher and Acting Detective Sgt. Harry Beck, Detective Division, arrested seven men for two hold-ups which occured on March 10 and April 5, 1922. A description of the criminals was obtained and after persistant and diligent efforts on the part of the detectives three of the criminals were arrested April 10, 1922. The capture of these men led to the arrest of the other four.

Lieut. James J. Gegan and Acting Detective Sgts. Michael J. Fiaschetti, Irving A. O'Hara, James F. McCoy, Silvina A. Repetto, George P. Gilbert and John Petrizzo, Detective Division, arrested Moles Bagnoli in a hotel in Plainfield, N. J., April 13, 1922, who with five others entered a private dwelling, forced the owner, his wife and five servants at the point of revolvers into a vault, locked it and stole jewelry valued at $90,000.

Lieut. John P. Griffith and Acting Detective Sgts. Patrick Flood, Patrick Shanley, James L. Leech, Edward M. Davis, John J. Cronin and William Moore, Detective Division, at about 9 P. M., August 22, 1923, in response to a telephone message from a watchman, employed by the Paige-Detroit Company of New York, 539 West Fifty-fifth Street, that he had been held up by three unknown men with revolvers, hurried to the premises. Lieut. Griffith, accompanied by some of the detectives, proceeded to the roof of the adjoining building, where the three men were found in hiding. Immediately upon seeing the detectives the men fled, and after an exciting and dangerous chase across adjoining roofs and to the street, during which several shots were fired, the criminals were apprehended at Fifty-fourth Street and Tenth Avenue. Tires and tubes stolen from the premises were recovered.

Lieut. James J. Gegan and Acting Detective Sgts James F. McCoy, Irving A. O'Hara and George P. Gilbert arrested two notorious criminals at the Pennsylvania Railroad Depot, Dec. 2, 1922. While at the depot on other duties, they recognized a traveler as one of the most notorious yeggmen and desperadoes of the country, hailing from Memphis, Tenn. After a terrific struggle (he two men were placed under arrest. Canadian bonds and United States currency amounting to $11,900 were found in their possession. The securities were stolen in Canada.

Sergeant.

Michael J. Murphy and Patrolman Albert Fehrents, 118th Precinct, arrested a man and his wife for the murder of one Alonzo J. Storey. At about 1:20 A. M., May 12, 1923, while on patrol duty in a department automobile they observed an automobile going through Flynn Avenue toward Howard Beach, of which they became suspicious and followed. As they reached Hopkinson Avenue the machine they were following turned back, and as it passed the Sergeant flashed a light on the occupants of the machine. A man and a woman were in the front seat, who looked bewildered and frightened, and a baby was in a hammock in the tonneau. A fully loaded revolver, for which there was no permit, was found by the officers while searching the machine. The occupants were taken to the station house. At about 1:30 P. M. the same day the dead body of a man sewed in burlap bags was found in the creek at Howard Beach.

Acting Detective Sergeants.

Vincent Di Guida, Detective Division, arrested one of three holdup men May 24, 1922. Three men entered a jewelry store at 127 Graham Avenue, Brooklyn, and forced the proprietor into the rear room, where they bound him with a rope. Jewelry valued at $15,000 was taken from the premises by the thieves, who escaped in a waiting taxicab. Detective Di Guida, who was then assigned to the 102d Precinct, in uniform, heard a cry of "Stop thief!" and gave chase. The machine stopped and the three men ran in different directions. One of the men, with a revolver in his hand, was overtaken in the rear yard of 12 Montrose Avenue. Jewelry taken from the store was found on his person.

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Lee Glasselbrecht, Detective Division, recovered a taxicab reported stolen Feb. 7, 1923, and the body of a man. This man, and two others, who had originally been reported as missing persons, were subsequently regarded as fugitives from justice because a taxicab in which they were last seen was reported as having been stolen. On May 1, 1923, the body of a man was recovered from the East River, at the foot of Broadway and Vernon Avenue, Astoria, which was identified as one of the three men. Detective Glasselbrecht, who had been assigned to the case, surmised that the taxicab might have been driven overboard, the docks and waterfront in that vicinity being open to the river. On this theory, grappling operations were commenced and contact with a heavy object resulted, which at that time could only be partially raised. The body of one of the men then came to the surface. Subsequently the taxicab was reclaimed. On May 15, 1923, the body of the third man was taken from the river.

Clarence H. Daly, John J. Cronin, Cornelius L. Manning and Joseph J. Maloney, Detective Division, arrested five negroes and a negress for the murder of two men on the evening of Sept. 14, 1922. The men were found strangled on the roofs of premises 331 and 333 West Fifty-ninth Street, having been lured there by the colored woman for the purpose of robbery. The persistant efforts of the detectives solved one of the most difficult murders in the history of the department.

William B. Caputo, Detective Division, arrested four of five hold-up men on May 11, 1923, after a search of six weeks. The assistant manager, a clerk and a messenger of the Municipal Bank, Pitkin and Stone Avenues, Brooklyn, while transferring cash amounting to $50,000 in an automobile from the bank to a branch office were held up by men with revolvers and robbed, the robbers escaping in the machine used in transferring the money. The chauffeur was suspected as being in league with the culprits, and after a thorough search of his effects at his home a revolver was found for which he had no permit. He was placed under arrest, but as there was no evidence connecting him with the crime he was discharged. The detective continued his search and on May 11, 1923, arrested one Samuel Urichio and four others, which included the chauffeur, all charged with the robbery.

Louis Ramirez, Detective Division, arrested a man in an apartment at 31 West Seventy- first Street, Jan. 26, 1923, for selling narcotics illegally. The detective got into the apartment on a subterfuge. After a prolonged conversation the man appeared to be satisfied that the visitor was a harmless customer, but suddenly taking a revolver from a bureau drawer declared his intention of killing the visitor if after personal inspection he was found to be a policeman. At an opportune moment Detective Ramirez forcibly got possession of the revolver and arrested the drug vendor.

Patrolman.

Emil E. R. Eipf and Sidney L. Kerr, First Precinct, rescued twenty-five people from a burning building at 100 Greenwich Street, at about 4:10 A. M., June 2, 1923. The patrolmen attempted to enter the building through the hall, but were driven back by the flames and smoke. They proceeded to the Ninth Avenue elevated structure, from there to the fire escape of 61 Cortlandt Street, ascended to the roof, and reached the roof of the burning building with a ladder. The people were brought to safety by planks placed from the roof of the burning building to the roof of 63 Cortlandt Street. Patrolmen Eipf and Kerr also brought two children from the burning building, one from the fifth floor and the other from the roof.

Maurice W. Tobin and John J. O'Connell, Traffic Precinct C, Feb. 2, 1923, arrested two of three hold-up men The patrolmen were regulating traffic at the intersection of Grand Concourse and Fordham Road, when their attention was attracted to the collision of two taxicabs. Three men alighted from one of the taxicabs and ran east on Fordham Road. Patrolman Tobin overtook one of the men, who turned about and attempted to use a revolver; the second man was apprehended by Patrolman O'Connell, and the third man escaped. Investigation revealed that the men had committed robbery and assault in a drug store at 351 East 173d Street.

James P. McDonnell, Special Service Division, while assigned to the Thirty-second Precinct, and off duty, rescued a man from drowning at Rockaway Beach, July 29, 1923. Shortly after entering the water, he heard cries for help, and saw a man about 200 feet from shore struggling in the water. He hurried to the rescue, and as he came within reach the drowning man grabbed him and they both sank. The patrolman managed to release himself, caught the man around the body and swam with him to safety.

Malachy Ryan, Fifty-third Precinct, arrested a man Oct. 31, 1922, for arson. While patrolling his post he observed a man leaving 3,167 Jerome Avenue, and upon investigation discovered a fire in the hallway. He apprehended the man, brought him back to the building, a two-story frame dwelling occupied by six families, searched the suspect and found incriminating evidence in his pockets. Patrolman Ryan prevented a fire which would have resulted in a catastrophe.

Alfred A. Walsh, Traffic Precinct A, on Sept. 27, 1922, stopped a runaway horse on Fourteenth Street, east of Eighth Avenue. The horse, unbridled and attached to a wagon, was running at great speed when seen by the patrolman. He gave chase, caught the animal, and after being thrown from his mount, brought the horse to a stop. Patrolman Walsh avoided injury to pedestrians as the streets were crowded.

Walter V. Brown, Traffic Precinct B, rescued two children from a burning building at 318 West Fifty-ninth Street, Oct. 6, 1922. He noticed the fire while on traffic duty at Columbus Circle, ran to the place and ascended the stairs to the fifth floor, where he heard the cries of children. To gain entrance it was necessary to force the door, and in a room which was ablaze two children were found in a semi-conscious condition. Patrolman Brown carried the children to the street, where he collapsed from the effects of smoke.

Frederick G. Norman, Fifth Precinct, July 6, 1922, while riding, in civilian clothes, in the fifth car of a north bound Lexington Avenue subway express train, observed smoke coming from the switch box. While attempting to extinguish the fire, the train came to a sudden stop and the lights went out. In order to avoid a panic, Patrolman Norman made known his identity, and conducted the passengers along the tracks and through an emergency exit to the street, where several of them required medical attention, having been overcome with gaseous fumes.

Hubert J. Claffey, Traffic Precinct D, stopped a team of runaway horses, Aug. 25, 1923. While at Flatbush Avenue Extension his attention was drawn to the runaway horses on Tillary Street. As the animals came within reach of him, he grabbed the bridle of the near horse, and was pulled from his mount and dragged a distance of one-half block before bringing the team to a standstill.

Ferdinand W. White, Forty-second Precinct, stopped a runaway horse, Nov. 10, 1922. He was regulating traffic at Broadway and 177th Street, which is a school-crossing, when his attention was attracted to the runaway. As the horse came abreast of him, he caught hold of the bridle, and was dragged over the sidewalk and into the side of a building, narrowly missing several children who were on their way to school.

John J. Arnold, Louis Barbieri and Charles McCarthy, Ninety-third Precince, Feb. 19, 1923, rescued several children and adults from a burning building, at 58 Fleet Place, Brooklyn. With great difficulty the patrolmen entered the smoke-filled building and carried the people to safety. They collapsed on reaching the street; were attended by an ambulance surgeon, and two of them removed to a hospital.

Henry Pohel, Fifteenth Precinct, May 14, 1923, while walking east on Stanton Street, near Christie Street, heard the report of a revolver. He immediately ran toward the sound and upon his arrival observed a man shooting at two women. The man fled as he saw the patrolman approach, turned about and pulled the trigger, but the cartridge failed to explode. The fugitive was overtaken, disarmed, and placed under arrest. Both women were mortally wounded.

Michael T. Malone and James Corcorn, 30th Precinct, April 27, 1923, rescued several children and adults from the burning building, 60 East 109th Street. Unable to ascend the stairway to the upper floors on account of the stairway being enveloped in flames, the patrolmen ascended the fire escape. Going from floor to floor to arouse the tenants, they discovered two children on the fourth floor and carried them to the street, and returned for a woman on the third floor and carried her to safety.

Harry A. Nullet, 28th Precinct, stopped a runaway horse Sept. 15, 1923. He noticed the horse running south on Broadway, commandeered a taxi, and gave chase. At Sixty-fourth Street the animal turned into Columbus Avenue and continued to Sixty-first Street, where it was overtaken by the patrolman, who seized the bridle and with much difficulty swerved it into an elevated pillar. Patrolman Nullet sustained injuries to his back and legs.

John J. Kennedy and John M. Fetzer, 51st Precinct, Feb. 19, 1923, assisted the tenants from a burning apartment house at 406 East Sixty-third Street and rescued a child from the third floor. The child was found lying on the floor unconscious. Patrolman Kennedy carried it to the street. The prompt action of the patrolman saved serious loss of life.

Michael McCarthy, Traffic Precinct A, May 24, 1923, pursued a murderer and placed him under arrest. The attention of the patrolman was attracted by a crowd running south in Broadway, in pursuit of the murderer. Patrolman McCarthy joined in the chase and followed the man into the cellar of 95 Broadway. A .38-calibre revolver was taken from the murderer after a struggle.

Henry W. Fritsch, 102d Precinct, arrested a man May 27, 1923, who had mortally wounded another. The patrolman was on his way to signal the station house when his attention was attracted by pistol shots. Running in the direction of the sound, he observed a man with a drawn revolver pursuing another man through Scholes Street, Brooklyn. Patrolman Fritsch followed, and when a short distance from him the man turned about, aimed, and attempted to pull the trigger. The patrolman disarmed and placed him under arrest.

Sidney E. Hoydal, Second Precinct, arrested a gunman, June 7, 1923. While off duty and riding in an automobile through Treadwell Avenue, Port Richmond, S. I., he heard several reports from a revolver. Alighting from the machine, he observed a colored man running toward him with his right hand in his pocket. Patrolman Hoydal intercepted him, pulled the man's hand from his pocket and found a .32-calibre revolver, four cartridges of which had been discharged. The prisoner had attempted to shoot another negro. When making the arrest the patrolman was unarmed.

Francis E. McCabe, George D. Roberts and Bernard J. McArdle, Fifteenth Precinct, rescued adults and children, three of the adults being helpless cripples, from a fire at 102 Avenue C Feb. 23, 1922. The patrolmen gained entrance by way of the front and rear fire escapes. The house was filled with smoke, and flames were lasuing from the second floor.

James P. McDonnell, Special Service Division, while assigned to the Thirty-second Precinct on patrol duty April 21, 1923, observed an unoccupied taxicab on Ninety-ninth Street near Columbus Avenue, with rear lights extinguished. Referring to department information which he had with him, he learned that the taxi was reported stolen. He concealed himself in a doorway, and after waiting about fifteen minutes, four men walked west on Ninety-ninth Street, and, acting suspiciously, entered the taxicab and attempted to drive away. Patrolman McDonnell stepped in front of the machine, drew his revolver and placed them under arrest. The prisoners had criminal records. In making the arrests Patrolman McDonnell was menaced by a crowd of colored sympathizers, who attempted to release the prisoners.

William Nevin, Traffic Precinct A, while on duty at the West Twenty-third Street ferry, rescued a man from drowning June 15, 1922. He was informed that a man had jumped from the ferryboat Tuxedo as it was making the slip. Patrolman Nevin ran to the end of the slip, jumped overboard in full uniform, grabbed the man, and brought him to the ferryboat, where a ladder was lowered and both were brought to its deck.

Philip F. Mascali, 37th Precinct, May 23, 1923, stopped a runaway horse at Fifth Avenue and 115th Street. He was on duty at Fifth Avenue and 111th Street, a school crossing, when the horse came dashing south on Fifth Avenue. As it came abreast of him, he grabbed the bridle, succeeded in mounting its back and bringing it to a stop. The quick action of Patrolman Mascali undoubtedly saved the lives of children who were on their way to school. Injuries were sustained by the patrolman.

George F. Moore, 29th Precinct, June 2, 1923, rescued a man from a burning building at 165 East Fifty-first Street, Manhattan. When the patrolman arrived at the scene of the fire he observed a man standing in a window on the fourth floor, who was about to jump. Shouts from spectators assured the man that help was coming and to remain where he was. Patrolman Moore forced an entrance into the adjoining building, ran to the fourth floor, climbed out on the window ledge, pulled himself over to a window of the burning building, and with the assistance of a fireman carried the man to safety.

John A. Christ, Seventy-fourth Precinct, while on patrol duty at Ocean Parkway and Cortelyou Road July 1, 1923, was notified by a citizen that he suspected there were burglars in his home at 450 Ocean Parkway. Patrolman Christ hurried to the premises, and as he was going into the front yard heard the crash of glass and observed two men jump through the kitchen window. He drew his revolver and commanded them to halt. One of them drew a revolver from his hip pocket and pointed it at the officer, who fired, the bullet entering one of the man's limbs. He continued in pursuit of the second man, who escaped. Several arrests were made, and jewelry and silverware from a series of burglaries in the neighborhood were recovered.

Thomas McWalters, Sixty-seventh Precinct, rescued a man from drowning July 20, 1923. While on duty at the foot of Ocean Parkway he heard cries for help coming from the beach. He observed a man about 200 feet from shore struggling in the water; removed his blouse and cap, and swam to the man's aid. As he came within reach of the drowning man, the latter attempted to grab the patrolman by the throat. Patrolman McWalters subdued him, placed the man across his chest, and swam with him to safety.

John E. Egan, Fifty-first Precinct (now deceased), stopped an unharnessed runaway horse May 6, 1923. The horse got loose from a fastening by which it was attached to the rear end of a wagon and ran away. Patrolman Egan, who was on duty in the vicinity of Virginia Avenue, pursued, and at 165th Street and Westchester Avenue the runaway and the patrolman's mount collided with a passing automobile, causing injuries to the rider and his horse. The horse was brought to a stop.

John Leahy, Traffic Precinct A, April 23, 1923, rescued several adults and children from a burning building at 343 East 149th Street. He ascended the fire-escape at the rear of the building, the front of the building being enveloped in flames, and assisted two women on the yard returned to the third floor, entered the apartment, which was filled with smoke, and rescued two children and their father. The building was destroyed, and one man lost his life.

William F. Allmendinger, John Link and Louis Koegel, Traffic Precinct B, arrested a hold-up man March 30, 1923. The hold-up man entered a cigar store at 410 Madison Avenue, asked for a package of cigarettes, and as the proprietor turned to get it, pointed a revolver at him with the demand to turn over his receipts. Sixty-five dollars in cash was taken from the register by the culprit. The proprietor followed him, and at Fifth Avenue and Forty-sixth Street attracted the attention of Patrolman Link, who pursued. Patrolmen Allmendinger and Koegel followed in the pursuit, and at Forty-sixth Street and Madison Avenue the hold-up man was taken into custody. The gun which the culprit carried, and which he attempted to use on the patrolmen, was thrown by him into an excavation, but was recovered and found to contain six unused cartridges.

Donald L. McDonald, First Precinct, rescued a man from drowning May 21, 1923, at the foot of East Fifteenth Street. He divested himself of his blouse, cap and revolver, dived overboard, swam to the man and brought him to the bulkhead. Both men were removed to the hospital.

George J. Frisch, Traffic Precinct B, while on patrol and standing in front of 20 West Fifty-seventh Street April 3, 1923, heard the report of a revolver. Looking in the direction of the sound he saw a man with a revolver in his right hand pointed at a woman, who ran into 18 West Fifty-seventh Street. Patrolman Frisch drew his revolver, ran toward the man and after a struggle disarmed him and placed him under arrest. The woman was seriously wounded and removed to a hospital. The revolver contained one empty and three loaded shells.

William Schanover, Eighty-fifth Precinct, while driving a Police Department runabout April 4, 1923, observed an automobile standing on Junius Street, south of East New York Avenue, Brooklyn. As he drew alongside of the automobile he overheard some one in the car remark, "There's a P. D. car." The occupants were questioned and ordered out of the machine. One of their number attempted to escape, while another drew a revolver. Patrolman Schanover, with revolver drawn, ordered the man to drop the revolver. The occupants, four in number, one a woman, were placed under arrest and taken to the station house. The automobile contained merchandise valued at $500, taken from 1,399 St. John's Place.

John Ferretti, Fifth Precinct, arrested two men for robbery April 12, 1923. At about 11:45 A. M., April 7, 1923, the cashier for Hyman Wanderman, 174 Worth Street, was held up and robbed of a payroll amounting to $1,200. Earlier in the day he noticed three men in the vicinity of Park Row who aroused his suspicions. The description given by the cashier tallied with the men who had been under observation. Five days after the hold-up, while on his way to report for duty and passing a restaurant, Patrolman Ferretti saw these three men leaving the place. He grabbed them, and with the assistance of another patrolman they were taken to the Fifteenth Precinct station house, where they were identified by the cashier as the hold-up men.

So much of General Orders 49, 1922, as refers to "Commendation" awarded to Acting Detective Sergeants Alfred T. Wing and Charles C. Westervelt is hereby amended by adding the names of Sergeants Thomas F. Dugan, 47th Precinct; Acting Detective Sergeants Walter E. McCaddin, Vincent J. Kiernon, Detective Division, and Patrolmen Rocco T. Brindisi, Thirty-seventh Precinct, and Frank R. Wing, Third Precinct.

SILVER MEDAL.

Patrick J. O'Shea, 15th Precinct, July 27, 1923, revived a man overcome by illuminating gas.

William Boehme, 45th Precinct, Sept. 5, 1923, stopped the flow of blood from a woman's leg by means of a tourniquet.

Edward J. Koch, 38th Precinct, June 30, 1923, revived a woman overcome by illuminating gas.

Thomas J. Danaher, 67th Precinct, July 24, 1923, revived an unconscious man suffering from gas poisoning.

BRONZE MEDAL.

Patrolmen.

William V. Balluff, 74th Precinct, July 8, 1923, stopped the flow of blood from a man's arm by means of a tourniquet.

Frank Reilly, 16th Precinct, June 1, 1923, revived a man overcome by illuminating gas.

Walter F. M. Bishop, 47th Precinct, May 15, 1923, stopped the flow of blood from a man's leg by means of a tourniquet.

Peter J. McMenomey, 113th Precinct, Aug. 11, 1923, gave an emetic to a woman who had swallowed poison.

TALKING MOVIES SHOWN.

Conversation and Music Accompany Pictures in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 11.—Talking movies have just been introduced to Cleveland theatregoers in what are said to be the first public tests. Conversation and music accompanying the pictures were clearly audible, and, being "broadcast" directly from the film, synchronized with the action.

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While still in its infancy, it was pronounced a success. It is now merely a question of perfection, the inventor said, and its perfection is only a matter of time.

THE SCREEN

A Murder Mystery.

THE ACQUITTAL, with Norman Kerry, Claire Windsor, Richard Travara, Charles Wellesley, Barbara Bedford, Frederick Vroom, Ben Deeley, Emmet King, Dot Farley, Harry Mestayer, Hayden Stevenson and others, adapted from Rita Weiman's play of the same name, directed by Clarence L. Brown; "Aesop Fable," Charles Chaplin revival, "The Cure"; organist, John Priest. At the Cameo.

The Cameo has taken a plunge into crime, the chief film attraction there this week being "The Acquittal," which was adapted from the play of that name by Rita Weiman. As a picture it is fairly well produced and thoroughly satisfying in the end. It is a story calculated to keep the spectators guessing for most of the footage. Norman Kerry, the hero of "Merry Go Round" and "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," impersonates one of the principal characters in this murder mystery, and the fair Claire Windsor is the heroine. Cherchez la femme is the adage of this plot, but it would be unkind and thoughtless if we attempted to tell who's who in this photodrama, as it would be disappointing if one said much more than Claire Windsor is not involved in the least. We might also add that although there is a woman in the case, she is not the culpable person, but only an accessory before the fact.

Knowing the plot of the picture we feel certain that so far we have managed to write a few words without spoiling anybody's afternoon or evening. We can go still further by admitting that for the first time in many pictures we observed an excellent idea of morning sun on the walls of a corridor in a motion picture house. It made one think of breakfast. These shadows from a supposedly faint morning sun outlined the foliage of trees. It was morning, as we have said, and possibly that of a studio Autumn. So far we have not revealed any more of the plot.

There is also a window in Miss Windsor's bedroom which we methodically calculated to be twenty-five feet high. It is a glorious window, but too frail to open.

Going deeper, with care, we might also mention that there are two foster sons, Robert Armstrong and Kenneth Winthrop, and a foster father, Andrew Prentice. It is the latter who is found dead one morning when the butler and the maid enter the drawing room to raise the blinds and take out the glassware. Who killed him? This is the question which naturally comes up in court before a yawning Judge, eleven wakeful men and one sleepy one. Kenneth is accused of the crime. He is tried and acquitted. He is the husband of Madeline Ames (Miss Windsor). Emmet King plays the soft, flat-footed butler in this cause célèbre. He is ominously interesting in many of the scenes and extremely attentive to those whom he serves. An interesting "prop" in this production is a pair of modern scales in a butcher's shop, which hide the view of a clock and make it seem midnight when it is only 11:30. Still, we have not let the cat out of the bag.

One sees a wedding, and one of the brothers shouts a warning to the minister and the bride. He goes forth and is seen putting on his silk hat as the bridegroom slips the ring on the fair creature in filmy white, and at the church doors is insulted by a rice assault, being mistaken for the happy man.

This is a picture that is interesting from the main title to the affectionate kiss, as the producers have been just as careful as we have that the murderer is not named until the last reel.

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MADONNA PRINCESS ARRIVES INDIGNANT

Marchiabelli Says That Only She Can Play Principal Role in "The Miracle."

LADY DIANA REHEARSING

Italian Admits Rival's Beauty and Charm, but Declares Madonna Needs More.

Princess Norina Marchiabelli, known on the European stage as Maria Carme, arrived yesterday from Paris on the White Star liner Majestic to play the rôle of the Madonna in the coming production of "The Miracle," by Morris Gest and Max Reinhardt. The dark and statuesque Princess drew herself up indignantly when told that Lady Diana Duff Cooper was now rehearsing the rôle at the Century Theatre.

She had been engaged for the part, the Princess exclaimed, and intended to enact it before the New York public. To her it was nothing how many actresses Morris Gest cared to engage for the rôle of the Madonna. That was his business, she said, and if it amused him, why good enough.

Mr. Gest was at the pier, but he did not venture near the Princess. He declared that his feelings had been hurt by remarks she was reported to have made about him in Paris and he left her in the hands of one of his representatives.

Princess Marchiabelli wore a black silk gown with a long mink coat and a small black and white toque. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and had the upper portion of her face covered by a large Parisian dotted veil.

"I come from the land of the Madonnas," she said, "and I was commanded to play the part in 'The Miracle' in a vision, but I also have a contract signed by Max Reinhardt, which I can produce if necessary.

"I would not play the rôle in 'The Miracle' on alternate days and I was more than astonished when I heard that Mr. Gest had engaged Lady Diana Cooper to play the part which had been allotted to me by Mr. Reinhardt. Lady Diana has the rare gift of combined beauty and charm, but 'The Miracle' needs something else. It is not a production like others. The origin of the play was a miracle in itself. Only those who have taken part in it from the beginning will understand what I mean.

"I created the part of the Madonna in the original production in London in 1912 and ceased to be myself when I took up the rôle. I was inspired by the part and had a vision in which I was told that I and I alone should play the rôle, and that is why it seems unnatural for any one else to even think of playing it."

Karl Vollmoeller, the author of "The Miracle," who was also a passenger on the Majestic, said that the Princess was magnificent in the part of the Madonna. A representative of Max Reinhardt said that no one could tell what was going to happen until Morris Gest had made his decision.

PONSELLE AND RUFFO BACK.

Added Stars to Sing 'Andrea Chenier' —First 'Walkuere' Next Week.

Rosa Ponselle will rejoin the Metropolitan company, as will also Titta Ruffo, in the opera season's seventh week, opening next Monday with "Andrea Chenier," in which both stars appear. Other operas of the week before Christmas will include "L'Oracolo" and "Pagliacci" next Wednesday, the latter with Rethberg and Fleta; Thursday matinee, "Mefistofele," with Chaliapin; Thursday evening, the season's first "Walkuere," with Easton and Matzenauer; Friday, "Fedora," with Jeritza; Saturday matinee, "L'Amico Fritz" and "Cavalleria," headed by Bori and Ponselle, and Saturday night, Dec. 22, "Der Rosenkavalier," with Reinhardt as the Knight of the Rose.

Toscha Seidel, the violinist, will play Bruch's concerto at next Sunday's "opera concert," the singers including Mme. Roeseler in an air from "Gioconda," Chamlee and de Luca in a duet from that opera and airs from "Tosca" and "Barber of Seville."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"The Marionette Man," by Frances Lightner, will be produced early in the new year by Brock Pemberton.

"The Goose Hangs High," by Lewis Beach, author of "A Square Peg," will soon be placed in rehearsal by the Dramatists' Theatre, Inc., of which Edward Childs Carpenter is the head.

An amended and shortened script of "Saint Joan" has been sent to the Theatre Guild by Bernard Shaw.

Ethel Barrymore will begin her tour in "The Laughing Lady" at the Riviera Theatre next week.

There will be a testimonial performance to Boris Thomashefsky at the Broadway Yiddish Theatre tomorrow night. "The Chosen People" will be the program.

Olga Knipper-Chekhova will give a talk on Chekhov at the Neighborhood Playhouse tonight.

MUSIC NOTES.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman's free concert of the American Orchestral Society crowded Cooper Union last night, when Roa Eaton sang an air from "Boheme" and Chalmers Clifton conducted works of Wagner, Liszt and Chabrier.

Herman Epstein gave the first of five lectures on the Wagner "Ring" cycle yesterday in the Carnegie Chamber Music Hall, discussing and playing on the piano the leading musical themes of "Rheinegold."

Ambroise Thomas's "Mignon" in motion pictures, with songs from the opera in costume, was twice shown yesterday in Carnegie Hall. Though an orchestra failed to appear, the evening performance drew an audience of 1,500.

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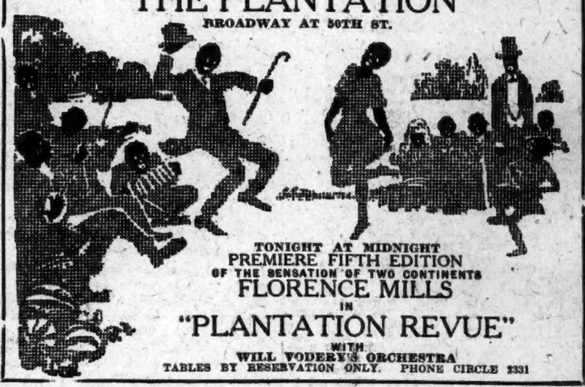
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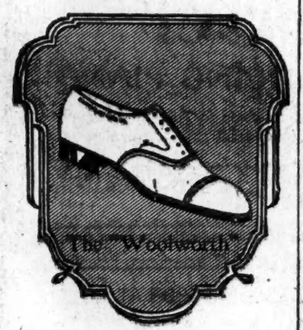

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MAYS SOLD TO REDS; BIG BID FOR HORNSBY

Giants' Rivals Buy Yankee Pitcher for Reported Price of $20,000.

EBBETS MAKES HUGE OFFER

Brooklyn Owner Proffers $275,000 for St. Louis Cardinals' Second Baseman.

EVERS TO COACH WHITE SOX

Signs as Assistant to Chance—Wambsganss Expected to Go to Detroit Club in Deal.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The sale of Pitcher Carl Mays of the Yankees to the Cincinnati Reds, the offer of $275,000 for Rogers Hornsby by President Ebbets of Brooklyn, the signing of Johnny Evers as a coach on Frank Chance's Chicago White Sox, the refusal of the Yankees to trade Sam Jones and probably Bob Meusel for Urban Shocker of the Browns, and a vote of confidence in Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis by the National League—these were the outstanding events in the second day of the gigantic baseball convention at the Congress Hotel here today.

On the whole, it was an uneventful day. The great trades for Hornsby, Shocker and Eddie Collins did not materialize, and as the conferences continued there was less and less likelihood that any unusual player transactions would take place. In the late afternoon the trading market seemed to have struck a snag; rumors were plentiful, but actual trades were few, and in that state of affairs the convention adjourned to dinner this evening, with little prospects of active trading on the morrow.

From the point of view of trades the sale of Mays to the Reds was the big happening of the day. It was a big thing for New York, for not only have the Yankees cut loose a pitcher, who was a great star two years ago, but they also have strengthened a club, which will give the Giants their briskest fight next Summer.

The price that Garry Herrmann paid for blond Carl of the submarine delivery was not stated, but a person close to the New York club said that it probably was close to $20,000, although other estimates placed the figure at $10,000. The sale cut short all reports that the Giants would obtain the pitcher, and now that it is all over it can be said that, despite all the statements of Miller Huggins, the Giants never had a chance to get Mays. McGraw's club was the last in the world to which the Yanks would have sold their erstwhile star flinger.

Mays Should be Winner.

Baseball men were inclined to believe tonight that Herrmann had made a ten-strike in buying Mays, who ought to be a big winner in the National League. He is still young as baseball players go, in excellent condition and prepared to baffle the National League batters with his unfamiliar underhand delivery. Under new conditions and handled correctly by Pat Moran, Mays may do great work for the Reds and perhaps be one of the biggest obstacles in the Giants' path:

After disposing of one of the "Six-Star" pitching staff, the Yankees turned their attention to getting Urban Shocker, but the negotiations were fruitless. It is known that Phil Ball, the Browns' owner, demanded Sam Jones in return, and it was understood that Bob Meusel was also demanded as chattel in the deal. On hearing these terms Huggins withdrew in an outraged frame of mind, declaring that she would not even trade Jones alone for the dissatisfied pitching star of the Browns.

However, there is still a possibility of a Jones-for-Shocker trade, which would not weaken the Yankees and might strengthen them. Huggins may also suggest Waite Hoyt in place of Jones, and on this basis there may be further discussions tomorrow. The Yanks are red hot in pursuit of Shocker; the Browns want to get rid of him, and, all other things being equal, tomorrow may see the outstanding spitball pitcher of the American League transferred inside a New York uniform.

Huggins and Frank Chance continued their chest-to-chest deliberations today, but the Yankees were only lukewarm on Eddie Collins and made no great attempt to snag the star second baseman. Chance, it is said, demanded that Bob Meusel be included in the deal. When this was scoffed at by the New Yorkers, the Peerless Leader offered one of the two right-handed hitting outfielders, Roy Elsh or Johnny Mostil, for either Wally Schang or Freddy Hofman. This was turned down.

The Yanks also spurned the following proposition from Vernon of the Pacific Coast League: Five players and $35,000 for Southpaw Jakey May. Huggins said that the Yanks did not need May greatly and didn't think much of such a proposition as that of "Vinegar Bill" Essick, the Vernon manager.

Ebbets Causes Flutter.

Charley Ebbets' offer of $275,000 for Rogers Hornsby created only a flutter in the ranks of the baseball people, although it was the greatest cash offer for single player in the history of baseball, exceeding by $25,000 the Giants' offer of two years ago. Ebbets was sincere in the matter, but everybody knew that Sam Breadon and Branch Rickey would not take cash for the player and that, consequently, Ebbets was safe in offering so much of Uncle Sam's currency for the second baseman.

The Baltimore proposition to sell Pitcher Lefty Groves to the Giants for $100,0000 was refused by President Stoneham over the long distance telephone from New York. Unless McGraw overturns this decision by cable the deal will die a natural death.

Butch Henline, the catcher of the Phillies, who is here, told a Philadelphia newspaper man today that it was practically fixed for him to go to the Giants. Where Butch got his exclusive information was not revealed.

One deal that seems fairly certain to go through some time this Winter is that of Second Baseman Bill Wambsganss of Cleveland to Detroit for a bundle of players. Cleveland men say that Wamby will play for Ty Cobb next year, Detroit giving in return a couple of pitchers and maybe an outfielder and a catcher. Cobb offered Outfielders Veach and Pothergill and Pitcher Collins and Pitcher Francis to the Athletics for Jimmy Dykes, but Mack, at a late hour, had not accepted it, much to the amazement of the baseball men here.

Johnny Evers's decision to return to the White Sox as a coach created no surprise, since John and Chance had had their heads together for a long time. Johnny was a coach on the Sox two years ago, but quit to accept a half-offer to become a Boxing Commissioner of New York State, something that never materialized.

The Pirates and Braves conferred at length over a trade for Rabbit Maranville, who came from Boston to Pittsburgh in 1921. Dave Bancroft's idea was to play the Rabbit at short and himself at second, but the dicker fell through temporarily when the Pirates demanded two good young pitchers, Genewich and McNamara.

The Giants announced that they had arranged an exhibition game with the Indians at Cleveland on April 14, a few days before the opening of the season.

Kid Elberfeld Offers to Bet That Giants Will Get Hornsby

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—There was much wagging of tongues here today when Kid Elberfeld, the Little Rock manager, went around the lobby of the Congress Hotel offering to bet large sums that the Rogers Hornsby deal was all settled between the St. Louis Cards and the New York Giants. Elberfeld asserted that Travis Jackson, one of the three players that John McGraw said he would not trade, was included in the deal. Elberfeld was the man who discovered Jackson in the Little Rock club.

M'CARTHY DEPOSED AS HEAD OF LEAGUE

Board of Arbitration Sanctions Election of Williams—Wrigley Is Censured.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—The Board of Arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Clubs tonight decided that Harry A. Williams was the duly elected President of the Pacific Coast League, succeeding William H. McCarthy, and that J. Cal Ewing is entitled to vote as the representative of the Pacific Coast League in the National Association.

The board in a statement issued by John J. Farrell, Secretary, censured William Wrigley Jr. of the Los Angeles Club and C. L. Lockhart and Wade Killefer of the Seattle Club for their financial transactions in connection with the purchase of the Seattle Club by Lockhart and Killefer.

J. Cal Ewing, representative of the Williams faction, was recognized as the representative of the Pacific Coast League in the meeting of the National Association.

The board's action settled the dispute between McCarthy and Williams over the Presidency of the Coast League.

LEAGUE REFUSES DRAFT.

International Turns Down Pacific Coast Suggestion.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—Club owners of the International League voted in opposition to restoration of the draft here today, turning down the suggestion made by officials of the Pacific Coast League for a compromise on the question. President John Conway Toole, Jack Dunn of the Baltimore Club and George Stallings of Rochester were appointed to draft a schedule of 168 games, opening the season April 16.

President Toole said that Montreal, Canada, and Providence, R. I., had made applications for a franchise, but that the question would not be decided until the schedule meeting to be held in February. It was reported that the International Leaguers decided by a vote of 5 to 3 to move the Syracuse Club to Montreal.

The American Association failed to adopt a schedule due to the wrangling over the award of the holiday dates. President Hickey said the league virtually had agreed upon a 168-game schedule, which probably will be adopted tomorrow.

STARS TO BE REWARDED.

Ruth and Sisler Will Receive Medals for Achievements.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—At the American League meeting here today the club owners decided to give personal recognition to Babe Ruth of the Yankees and George Sisler of the Browns for their achievements as individual stars in 1922 and 1923, respectively, in addition to having their names inscribed on the $100,000 monument to be erected by the league in Potomac Park, in Washington. Ruth and Sisler will be given medals of honor, and also will be presented with miniatures of the monument.

The American Leaguers, while failing to adopt resolutions either approving or condemning Commissioner Landis's administration, gave no indications of belligerency. Instead, they went peacefully about their duties, familiarizing themselves with the seventeen proposed amendments which are to be acted upon at the joint session tomorrow.

Frank J. Navin of Detroit was re-elected Vice President of the league, and the new Board of Directors will be composed of the representatives of St. Louis, Detroit, Boston and New York.

DEPLORE DONOVAN'S DEATH

Philadelphia Veteran Athletes Honor Deceased Member.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11.—Resolutions expressing sorrow at the death of William Donovan, manager of the New Haven Baseball Club, in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited were adopted last night by the Veteran Athletes' Association of Philadelphia.

"Whereas," the resolutions read, "as the result of an accident that has shocked and grieved every lover of good sportsmanship in this country, William Donovan, a lifelong member of the Veteran Athletes' Association of Philadelphia, has met with a most untimely death;

"Resolved that the directors of the association deplore his sad and regrettable death and record our judgment, based on many years' intimate association with our deceased member, that clean sportsmanship has suffered a deplorable loss; that manly and upright men have been bereaved of a loyal friend, and that the community in which he lived and wherein he was honored feel a profound sorrow."

GRIFFITH SEEKS COLLINS.

Confers With White Sox Officials—Wants Star for Manager.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Harry Grabiner, Secretary of the Chicago White Sox, labelled as premature the announcement that Eddie Collins, Captain and Second Baseman of the team, had been placed on the auction block. Clark Griffith, President of the Washington Club, admitted, however, that he had talked with Manager Frank Chance of the White Sox over the prospects of landing Collins as Manager of the Senators.

"Sure I'd like to get Collins," Griffith said, "but how am I going to land him?"

Griffith and Grabiner were in conference several times today, but both refused to divulge whether Collins's name had been mentioned.

ATHLETICS BUY STRAND.

Give $35,000 and Three Players for Coast League Home Run King.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, tonight purchased Paul Strand of the Salt Lake City Club, who for two years has been the hitting sensation of the Pacific Coast League. He led the league in home run hitting last season.

The purchase price for Strand was $35,000 with three players or $30,000 without the players. The three men under consideration in the deal are Pitcher Harris and Outfielders Matthews and French, the latter a former army football star.

Basketball Results.

Ohio State 31, Ohio Wesleyan 20.
Williams 44, Albany Teachers 18.
Manhattan Prep. 43, St. Ann's Academy 22.
Collegiate School, 34; Trinity, 11.
Collegiate Seconds 12, Trinity Seconds 8.
C. C. N. Y. Freshmen 11, New Utrecht 9.
Loyola 40, All Hallows 29.

NATIONAL LEAGUE TO SUPPORT LANDIS

Body Gives Commissioner Vote of Confidence on Eve of Joint Meeting.

ACTION COMES AS SURPRISE

No Reason Given for Move, Although Hostility Is Expected at Session Today.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—In its second and final session today the National League adopted unanimously a resolution pledging its "hearty and loyal" support to Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis and its "unqualified approval of his official actions."

The action, which came as a distinct surprise, created more mystery than anything else. The reason for passing such a resolution at this time was not made clear by President John A. Heydler, who admitted that it was nothing less than a "vote of confidence." But why the National League should consider it necessary to hold a vote of confidence in the Commissioner was not made plain, and in the absence of any official explanations, most baseball men tonight regarded it as a slap at the American League and Ban Johnson, who have been more and more opposing Landis's authority and official acts in the last year.

It has been no secret that opposition to Landis among the Johnson faction has been growing steadily, and at tomorrow's joint meeting it was predicted that this hostility would take definite form. On a number of proposed amendments the Johnson people are ready to throw down the gauntlet and oppose the Commissioner. That the National League, on the eve of this meeting, should pass a vote of confidence in Landis was considered very significant.

In this connection it was recalled tonight that it was the National League, with the aid of three American League clubs, which had forced Landis on Johnson and his supporters during the baseball upheaval which followed the White Sox world's series scandal in 1920.

President Heydler evaded the question as to wehther the National League took its action because of the growing hostility to Landis. He said that the League simply wished to go on record to this effect. However, opinion generally tonight was that the League felt that Landis's hand should be strengthened much as a legislative body might vote its confidence in a Prime Minister whose policies were under fire.

The resolution follows:

"Recognizing as we do the conscientious devotion to duty, the impartial and fearless decisions rendered, the firm and uncompromising determination to hold to and preserve the best traditions and the high standards of professional baseball; knowing that he has won and still holds the deserved confidence of the public and players, we, the National League of Professional Baseball Culbs, here assembled, at the forty-eighth annual meeting resolve:

"That we extend to Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis the continuance of our hearty and loyal support and do further extend to him our appreciation for his distinguished services and our unqualified approval of his official actions."

The League magnates discussed the proposed amendments to be considered at tomorrow's joint session, but decided to let each club representative vote as he saw fit, without any previous agreement. The amount of pension money to John J. Day, first President of the Giants, was increased. The new Board of Directors was elected as follows: Barney Dreyfuss of Pittsburgh, William Veeck of Chicago, Christopher Mathewson of Boston and Charles A. Stoneham of New York.

FLAGSHIP'S FIGHTERS WIN 3 BOXING BOUTS

Sailors From U. S. S. Colorado Also Carry Off Honors in Naval Tourney.

Uncle Sam's navy fighters had their first important ring clashes in the scout fleet championship tournament last night at the 106th Infantry Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, where bouts were held in eight classes to determine the competitors in the title tournament finals to be held in Madison Square Garden on Dec. 18. The bouts determined the boxing championships of the battleship division of the United States Navy scouting fleet, in addition to producing the boxers who will seek fleet titles next week.

The U. S. S. Wyoming, flagship of the battleship division, carried off three of the division championships and qualified as many men for the finals. In addition the distinction of winning a cup for furnishing the most interesting bout was enjoyed by a sailor of the flagship. This honor fell to M. Grey, a featherweight, who knocked out P. Ereme, U. S. S. Utah, in the second round of their scheduled six-round clash. A. Monge, in the bantamweight division, and L. Hummel, a lightweight, were the other Wyoming boxers who were victorious.

In addition to the boxing bouts, three wrestling contests were held, one of them being an exhibition in which Tarzan Knight, navy light-heavyweight, and heavyweight champion, won on points over Ed Shaboo, welterweight and middleweight grappling champion of the navy.

The summaries:

Boxing.

Flyweight Class—Dencie Caccho, U. S. S. Mayflower, defeated F. Ceriach, U. S. S. Seattle, six rounds, judges' decision.

Bantamweight Class—A. Monge, U. S. S. Wyoming, defeated G. Titcomb, U. S. S. Florida, seven rounds, judges' decision. (Judges disagreed at end of sixth round.)

Featherweight Class—M. Grey, U. S. S. Wyoming, knocked out P. Ereme, U. S. S. Utah, two rounds.

Lightweight Class—L. Hummel, U. S. S. Wyoming, defeated R. Blaikie, U. S. S. Colorado, six rounds, judges' decision.

Welterweight Class—A. Pagium, U. S. S. Colorado, defeated A. Perrot, U. S. S. Utah, six rounds, judges' decision.

Middleweight Class—C. Hoffman, U. S. S. Colorado knocked out J. Durkes, U. S. S. Utah, one round.

Light-Heavyweight Class—G. Morane, U. S. S. Florida, won from J. Stafford, U. S. S. West Virginia, by default.

Heavyweight Class—J. Dunze, U. S. S. Colorado, defeated A. B. Bower, U. S. S. Mercy, six rounds, judges' decision.

Wrestling.

Lightweight Class—R. Przybyski, U. S. S. Wyoming, won the decision over R. Heuer, U. S. S. Florida.

Light-Heavyweight Class—H. Ekisian, U. S. S. Utah, won the decision over M. Nelsen, U. S. S. Florida.

Special Exhibition—Tarzan Knight won the decision over Ed Shaboo.

MARTIN DEFEATS COHEN.

Brooklyn Bantam Too Aggressive for Fast Colored Boxer.

In a spectacular bantamweight bout, Eddie (Cannonball) Martin, Brooklyn boxer, last night won a decision over Wilbur Cohen, Harlem negro boxer, at the Ridgewood Grove S. C., Brooklyn. The lads clashed in the six-round feature bout of a Christmas fund benefit card.

Cohen outbored Martin in the first round and held him even in the second. After that Martin's superior aggressiveness overwhelmed the clever boxing of Cohen.

The results of the other six-round bouts were: Sammy Bienfeld won the decision over Gus Marino, Al Felder and Frankie Murray boxed a draw; Johnny Clinton knocked out Sammy Morgan in two rounds, Tony Palmer knocked out Jack Adnit in three rounds, Willie Harmon knocked out Jim McMullen in one round and Joe Malone and Ray Lucas boxed a draw.

National League Sanctions Boxing Bouts at Polo Grounds

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The Giants will be allowed to hold boxing bouts at the Polo Grounds as long as they do not interfere with the proper presentation of championship games, it was decided by the National League today. As interpreted by President John A. Heydler, this means that bouts at night will not be frowned on by the league. However, ring exhibitions in the afternoon which might conflict with games at the Yankee Stadium or Ebbets Field will not be allowed. It is taken for granted the Yankees will live up to their promise made some time ago and discontinue all boxing shows in the Stadium. The Giants, therefore, will have the field to themselves.

HERZOG MAY PILOT NEWARK NEXT YEAR

Former National League Star Expected to Take Charge as Player-Manager.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 11.—Charles ("Buck") Herzog, former National League star, probably will manage the Newark club of the International League next season under the syndicate of local men which recently purchased the franchise.

Herzog conferred today with the leaders of the syndicate, including Corbett McCarthy, a former business associate of the ball player, and Michael McTighe. No formal announcement was made afterward, but it was understood Herzog accepted an offer to handle the club's reins, probably as player-manager. Herzog intimated the success of the conference when he declared it was hoped to put Newark back on the International League may with a strong team in 1924, adding that plans were under way for the erection of a new stadium by 1925.

Herzog, star infielder and manager at various times in his spectacular career of a dozen years with four National League clubs, will stage a come-back after several seasons of inactivity, if he takes charge in Newark. He wound up his major league career with the Chicago Cubs in 1920. Most of his big league career was spent with the New York Giants, with whom he starred in 1908. He figured in four of McGraw's pennant victories from 1911 to 1917.

Herzog became manager of the Reds in 1914 and retained this post until 1916, when he was repaced by Christy Mathewsen. He also played with Boston.

Herzog now is baseball coach of the Third Army Corps Area, with headquarters at Baltimore.

Newark had three managers during the past season. Mickey Devine was at the helm at the start but was succeeded by "Andy" Anderson and then Fred Brainard.

HENDERSON NAMED CAPTAIN

Left End Chosen to Lead Cornell Eleven Next Season.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., Dec. 11.—Frank L. Henderson of Detroit, Mich., Cornell varsity left end for the last two years, was today elected captain of the team for next year at a meeting of the 'C' men. Henderson also is a junior in the College of Mechanical Engineering. In addition to playing football Henderson is also a member of the varsity baseball team, being one of the first-string pitchers.

The varsity awards in football, cross-country and soccer follow:

Football—E. F. Buckley, C. E. Cassidy, G. R. Pfann, F. D. Ramsey, R. Raimond, Fb L. Sundstrom, J. H. Berean, F. L. Henderson, H. F. Kneen, Robert Morris, R. F. Patterson, B. A. W. Savage, Walter Whetstone Jr., Frank Affeld and Frank Kearney.

Cross Country—H. C. Smith, Captain; P. B. Kirby, J. A. Glick, Captain-elect; A. R. Deprosse, E. S. Overshine, R. V. Palmer and H. P. Rytherch.

Soccer—Rafael Ayau, H. H. Montgomery, H. C. Stone, E. R. Thompson, D. J. Wickham, W. D. Wright Jr., Alsden Hulnick and Bernard Meyer.

YALE ELEVEN IS FETED.

Players Get Gold Footballs at Athletic Association Dinner.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 11.—Twenty-nine letter men of the Yale football team were guests tonight of the Athletic Association of the university at a dinner given in honor of their victorious season. The dinner was informal and without speechmaking. Each of the players was presented with a small gold football as a remembrance of Yale's most glorious season on the gridiron in a number of years.

KNOCKOUTS FEATURE BOUTS

Many Exciting Contests in Crescent A. C. Preliminaries.

Knockouts featured the preliminary round of the amateur boxing tournament at the Crescent A. C. in Brooklyn last night, when a large crowd of club members witnessed a program of exciting contests. I. Falkenstein, competing without club affiliations, a former holder of the Metropolitan A. A. U. featherweight title, was one of the lads to score a knockout. Competing in the 128-pound class Falkenstein disposed of Charles Scott, an unattached rival, in one round.

The summaries:

112-Pound Class: Preliminary Round—J. Croke, Lenox Hill Settlement A. A., defeated P. Arbias, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Ed Levy, Williamsburg Y. M. H. A., knocked out Dan Lynch, unattached, one round; Hyman Wugatow, unattached, defeated S. Messinio, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Tom Mormando, Newsboys' Club, knocked out Harry Chaskin, unattached, three rounds; M. Branch, Young Men's Athletic Club, defeated James Green, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; John Szachacz, unattached, defeated L. Rosenberg, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; Tom McMahon, unattached, knocked out R. Gimmell, unattached, one round; Leon Jacob, Bedford Y. M. C. A., defeated C. Vally, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision; O. Haverstadt, unattached, knocked out Joe White, unattached, one round; P. White, Bowery Y. M. C. A., knocked out L. Bolton, unattached, one round.

Second Trials—Levy won from Croke by default; Mormando defeated Wugatow, three rounds, judges' decision.

118-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—Oscar Gerahrant, Y. M. C. A., defeated L. Sydel, Educational Alliance, three rounds, judges' decision; M. De Mar, Lenox Hill A. A., knocked out Pete Meillio, unattached, one round; M. Murphy, unattached, won from J. Locombo, unattached, by default.

128-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—R Detner, Pastime A. C., knocked out M. St. Angelo, unattached, two rounds; I. Falkenstein, unattached, knocked out Charles Scott, unattached, one round; M. Schurr, unattached, knocked out M. Burns, unattached, two rounds; M. Kurtz, Williamsburg Y. M. H. A., defeated M. Yanzano, Lenox Hill A. A., three rounds, judges' decision; D. Pino, Lenox Hill A. A., knocked out J. Maltese, National A. C., one round; James Proto, unattached, knocked out Phil Schramps, unattached, three rounds.

138-Pound Class—Preliminary Round—Howard Garrett, Lenox Hill A. A., knocked out Andy Guber, unattached, two rounds; N. Panare, Trinity Club, defeated Pete Cummings, unattached, three rounds, judges' decision.

WILLS IN RING TONIGHT.

Will Box Townsend in Special Bout at Commonwealth S. C.

Harry Wills, negro challenger for the world's heavyweight title, is scheduled to engage in a special bout against Jack Townsend, former Northwestern football star, at the Commonwealth Sporting Club tonight, as an added feature to a program topped by two twelve-round encounters. In the longer bouts Panama Joe Gans will face Irish Fagan and Willie Darcy will engage Al Brown, east side flyweight.

AUSTRIA LISTS TEAM FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

Hungary and Latvia Also Send Winter Sports Entries to French Committee.

ITALY SEEKS THIRD PLACE

Signor Finzi Says Country Is Working Hard, but Cannot Hope to Defeat the United States.

PARIS, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—Austria will be represented in the 1924 Olympic Games, her official entries for the Winter sports at Chamonix having been received by the French Olympic Committee today along with those of Latvia and Hungary. Austria will send a hockey team to compete in the contests and also will have entries in the figure skating, consisting of both women and men. The Austrian entry was not sent by the Austrian Olympic Committee, but by one of the largest Winter sport clubs in that country. The Austrian Olympic Committee, while refraining from official participation, owing to lack of funds, is authorizing the sending of competitors through private initiative.

Latvia will compete in the speed skating contests at all distances and the 50 kilometers ski competition. Hungary has entered the ski events from 12 to 18 kilometers and also the jumps.

The entries received today bring the total representation at Chamonix to seven countries—the United States, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Sweden, Hungary, Latvia and Austria. The French Olympic Committee expects by Saturday, the date on which the entries close, to have eleven or twelve nations participating in the Winter events, including England.

A bill providing for a special issue of Olympic postage stamps was introduced in the French Chamber this afternoon by Deputy Nibelle. It is expected the bill will be adopted without discussion. So certain are the organizers of the Olympic Games that the legislation will be quickly enacted that sample stamps already have been printed and a supply will be ready for sale as soon as Parliament acts and President Millerand affixes the Presidential signature to the necessary decree.

The stamps will be in denominations of ten, twenty-five, thirty and fifty centimes. There also will be a postal card for sale at thirty centimes. The stamps and cards are quite artistic in design.

ROME, Dec. 11 (Associated Press).—"Italy expects to take third place in the next Olympic games," said Aldo Finzi, Vice Commissioner of Aeronautics, to The Associated Press today.

"We have the spirit and the determination, stimulated by the enthusiasm of Premier Mussolini for Italy's success in the games," Signor Finzi continued. "The Italian Government has voted almost a million lire for the preparation of our athletes, who are working hard to win third place. Naturally we do not expect to beat America; but we are ready for any others. We have a fine athletic spirit throughout the country and in the army. We expect to discover some fine material among the soldiers, who are now under skilled athletic instructors who are scouting for good Olympic material.

"We intend to be in front in swimming and in the track events, boxing, fencing and football."

There is keen competition among the athletes to win the trophy offered by Richard Washburn Child, the American Ambassador, to the athletes of the city making the most points in the preliminary Olympic events.

BROOKLYN POLO TEAM ELIMINATES NEW YORK

Springs Surprise in Mid-West Play at Cleveland—Wins by 12½ to 5½.

Special to The New York Times.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 11.—To either Cleveland or Brooklyn will go the championship of the Midwestern Indoor Polo Tournament. The Brooklyn Riding Club and the Troop A Reds will meet tomorrow in the game that will decide the title.

Tonight the Brooklyn Riding Club sprang a great surprise, outplaying the famed trio of the Riding Club of New York, 12½ to 5½, while the Troop A team defeated the Cincinnati Polo Club, 11 to 9, in an extra-chukker contest.

New York was generally picked to win the tournament honors, but Brooklyn played fast polo and won. Brooklyn started with 1 point handicap and never relinquished its lead. Even Blackwell, star of the New York trio and member of the international team, met his match. Kopke held the New York star to three goals, the smallest total he has scored in several seasons.

In the afternoon Kirtland played the 101st Cavalry of Brooklyn and trounced the favorites, 12½ to 2. Fort Thomas humbled the Troop A Blues of this city, although the locals were strong favorites, 10¼ to 2¼.

The line-ups follow:

KIRTLAND (12½). 101ST CAVALRY (3).
No. 1—Milliken. No. 1—Marucchi.
No. 2—King. No. 2—Wilson.
Back—Cherwin. Back—Brachtel.
Goals—Kirtland: Milliken (5), King (3), Cherwin (2), handicap (3), four minus ¼. 101st Cavalry: Maruchi (2), Wilson, fouls, minus 1.

BROOKLYN (12½). NEW YORK (5¼).
No. 1—Smith. No. 1—Hamilton.
No. 2—Parsons. No. 2—Blackwell.
Back—Kopke. Back—Ewing.
Goals—Brooklyn: Smith (6), Parsons (5), Kopke (2), handicap (1), fouls 3 minus 1¼. New York: Blackwell (3), Ewing (3), Hamilton, fouls (2), minus 1¼.

C. C. N. Y. COACH RESIGNS.

Neville, Football Mentor for Last Two Years, Gives Up Post.

Joe Neville, former Yale football star and more recently coach of the City College varsity eleven, has resigned his post as mentor of Lavender gridiron teams. Neville gave up his post because his plans for next Fall will prevent him from continuing his work at City College.

During the two years that Neville has been coach at City College he has been handicapped by a lack of first-class material, and, as a consequence his teams have won but one game. Last season in the second game of the year, the Lavender eleven defeated St. Stephens, 7 to 0.

SYRACUSE KEEPS MEEHAN.

Football Coach Gets Five-Year Contract—20 Letters Awarded.

Special to The New York Times.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 11.—John F. ("Chick") Meehan, coach of the Syracuse football team, tonight received a contract for the next five years at an increase in salary. The Athletic Governing Board never before had given a contract for more than two years to any football coach. The salary was not announced.

Letters were awarded to Captain MacRae and nineteen other football men.

ALEX HART DEFEATS JACKS.

Wins Decision Over English Boxer at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11.—Alex Hart of Clifton Heights, Pa., won the judges' decision tonight in his ten-round bout with Freddy Jacks of England. Hart forced the fighting in the first eight rounds and landed many hard blows. The English boxer made a great rally in the last two rounds, staggering Hart with rights and lefts, but the rally came too late to affect the decision. Hart weighed 135 pounds and Jacks 132.

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BELMONT PROMISES TO SUPPORT MATCH

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SINCLAIR ALSO PLEDGES AID

Asserts Zev and Epinard Belong to Public, and a Meeting Should Be Arranged.

MUCH PROGRESS IS SEEN

Frenchman Reiterates Willingness to Compete Either in Europe or America.

A long stride toward an international thoroughbred race, or a series of such contests next season, was taken yesterday when Pierre Wertheimer, owner of the great French three-year-old Epinard, held a long conference with Major August Belmont, Chairman of the Jockey Club, and later met Harry F. Sinclair, owner of the American three-year-old champion, Zev.

Major Belmont assured the French owner that he would have his hearty support and co-operation in any efforts to bring about a meeting between Zev and Epinard, either in France or on American tracks, and also said that M. Wertheimer might rely on receiving the co-operation and encouragement of all American racing men.

Mr. Sinclair took the ground that both Epinard and Zev belonged to the racing public and M. Wertheimer agreed with him and that every effort should be made for a match between the two if it is possible when the time comes around next Summer.

Major Belmont was the first of the American racing officials that the French owner had seen and it was natural that he would seek the views of the Chairman of the Jockey Club, which sponsored the recent international contest between Zev and Papyrus, and also the Presideht of the Westchester Racing Association which so ably staged the great event at its plant at Belmont Park.

Would Race in America.

After the conference Major Belmont said:

"Yes, M. Wertheimer called to see me and stated that one of the purposes of his visit to America was to find out whether any horse in this country could be induced to go to France and race against his horse Epinard next season.

"In default of being able to arrange such a race in France, M. Wertheimer expressed himself as ready to bring Epinard to America next Summer and either enter him in some of our Autumn events or race his horse for such special races as our associates may feel inclined to offer.

"M. Wertheimer had not then seen Mr. Sinclair, although he hoped to do so today, if possible. Inasmuch as M. Wertheimer stated to me that he was prepared to race his horse at any distance from three-quarters of a mile to a mile and a half, it will not be difficult to arrange suitable races, which, I am sure, our associations one and all will be prepared to do.

"I assured M. Wertheimer that he might rely upon receiving co-operation and encouragement from all our racing men, that a sporting offer such as he is making would be met in the same liberal spirit."

M. Wertheimer later was in conference with Mr. Sinclair and afterward expressed himself as greatly pleased with the spirit and cordiality shown by the American horsemen and is most hopeful that a plan can be worked out for a meeting between Epinard and Zev. He reiterated his preference for a race in France, but again said that he is willing to bring his colt here.

Feels Sure of a Meeting.

"Mr. Sinclair told me," said M. Wertheimer, "that Zev does not belong to him any more, but to the racing public, and he felt that it was the same with my colt, and that we both should do all that we could to bring them together for the benefit of the public. I found that Mr. Sinclair was as anxious as I am for a meeting between our colts and I am confident that such a meeting will take place.

"We cannot tell at this time where the race or series of races will be run and much will depend upon the public demand for the contest. For the present the matter is in the hands of Mr. Belmont."

M. Wertheimer said that he realized that it might be some time before final arrangements could be completed for a contest of this importance, as there are many details to be considered. He felt, however, after Major Belmont's assurances, that the American sportsmen will be ready to meet him more than half way.

"I expect to confer with Mr. Belmont again before sailing for home," he said, "and something more definite may develop before that time."

During his conversation with Mr. Sinclair, M. Wertheimer said, the owner of Zev suggested that races might be held in both countries. That, in fact, was one of the original suggestions of the French sportsman. When he arrived last Saturday he said that he hoped that Mr. Sinclair would send Zev to race in France against Epinard. He stated that if Zev was beaten by his colt at Longchamp he would then send Epinard to the United States to give Zev an opportunity to meet the French champion on American tracks.

To Discuss Race at Dinner.

It is expected that the matter of an international race or series of races will be discussed at great length at a dinner to be given by Major Belmont later in the week for M. Wertheimer, at which a number of leading American owners and men prominent on the turf will be present. It is hoped that Admiral Cary T. Grayson, owner of My Own, and Paul Wiedermann, owner of In Memoriam, will be able to attend. Mr. Sinclair will be unable to be present, as he left last night for a business trip to the West.

M. Wertheimer, if he can finish up his business in time, plans to sail for home on Saturday, Dec. 22, on the steamship Berengaria.

Developments have come so rapidly in international racing since the historic meeting of Zev and Papyrus that there seems to be no limit to the possibilities of the immediate future. There are innumerable racing men who would welcome an opportunity to witness the two in action again. Also both American and English horsemen, to say nothing of the countless supporters of Epinard at home, would give a good deal to see Epinard and Papyrus matched. The two colts never have met. There have been intimations that an effort would be made to have the two meet as four-year-olds, with the American champion making it a three-cornered event.

While it is considered doubtful that the conservative English Jockey Club would sponsor any event of the kind in England, it may come about that Zev will be sent to France and that all three will meet there. Failing that, it is not impossible that both Epinard and Papyrus will come to the United States next Summer, in which case In Memoriam and My Own would be added attractions in a series of races.

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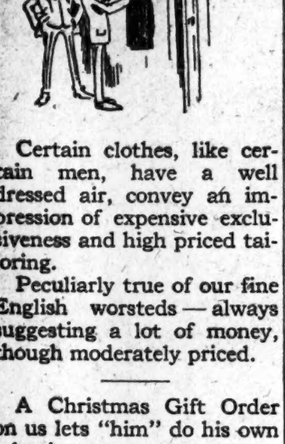

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U. S. Skating Team Crippled By Withdrawal of Badger

America's outlook for victory in the figure skating contests in the Olympic Games Winter sports competitions at Chamonix, France, next month, experienced a decided setback yesterday with the withdrawal from the skating team of Sherwin Badger of Boston, American figure skating champion, who scored many points for Uncle Sam in the figure skating singles at Antwerp in 1920.

Failure of Badger to arrange his business affairs so as to permit of his going abroad, was the reason for the Hub skater's withdrawal. As a consequence, the American team now will be composed of Mrs. Theresa Blanchard, Brookline, Mass.; Miss Beatrix Longhran of this city and Nathaniel Niles of Boston.

RIGHT ON TIME WINS FEATURE AT HAVANA

Filly Closes Fast in Stretch and Captures Handicap by Half a Length.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 11.—Right on Time, the Jack Atkin filly, showed a good performance at Oriental Park this afternoon when she shouldered top weight of 110 pounds in the featured handicap and, coming from behind in the stretch run and wearing down the pacemaker, Charles Whitney, got up in the final strides to win going away by a half-length. Wida was third, beaten a nose for the place by Charles Whitney.

Charles Whitney was the one to set the pace, with Dorothy Buckner the nearest in pursuit until rounding the far turn, where Lancet brought Right on Time up on the outside and the latter was straight as a string all through the last quarter to outgame Charles Whitney. Wida closed an immense gap and was closing on the first two with every stride at the finish. The winner ran the three-quarters of a mile in 1:12 3-5, the fastest time for the distance at the meeting.

Acosta was an easy winner of the first race, a three-quarter mile sprint for platers, and indulged with Tom Norris for the lead until the final furlong when she closed stoutly and won going away.

Driftwood, with a change of riders, showed a decided improvement. J. Callahan had the mount this afternoon and Driftwood made all his own pace and beat out Haran by three lengths.

Foul Weather staggered home a neck in front of Elizabeth Jewel, in the third event. The winner opened up a long lead rounding the far turn, but tired badly. Besthoff was an equal favorite with Foul Weather, but could never get up.

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TIJUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for four-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Ponza Ray 102 pounds, Blanche Meyers 102, Bookworm 102, Flea 102, Morro Castle 102, Miss Emma G. 107, Dalton 107, Virgo 107, Car 107, Olympiad 107.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. Sly Fox 106 pounds, Norfield 106, El Roble 106, Jolly Tutor 106, War God 109, Amackassin 109, Harrigan's Heir 109, Herder 109, Dexterous 109, Plow Steel 109, Gonwithim 111, Incognance 117, Phrone Ward 114.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for four-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Jay Mac 102 pounds, Jean Corey 102, Dunsandel 102, Martha L. 102, Gold Bryan 107, Bobby Allen 107, Madge F. 107, Counsel 107, Mr. Kruter 107, Tenuloo 107.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800; for three-year-olds; six furlongs. Cavet Emptor 93 pounds, Tule 103, Scraps 102, Pud 104, Reap 104, Billy Gibson 106, Lavina 106, Green Spring 107, Fairwea 108, Spread Eagle 110, Great Luck 112, Fighting Cock 112.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; for two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. Miss Nantura 102 pounds, Whipsaw 102, Bosaman 105, Praiseworthy 105, Zilhah 109, Black Sheets 109, Lester Dolly 90, Kildare 107, Serena 107, Ramo 107, Charlotte B. 107, Irish Buster 110.

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SEVENTH RACE—Purse $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and one-sixteenth. Every Woman 99 pounds, Louis 104, By Right 104, Obstinate 104, Judge David 107, Reydo 109, The Wit 109, Favorite 109, Lucy Ann 109, Laura Cochran 109, Encrinite 104, Prince Direct 106.

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SECOND RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and a half furlongs. *Foy 104 pounds, *Kentmere 108, Miss Beulah 108, Glenlivet 111, End Man 116, Ruth Wehle 106, Pepper Tea 108, Sister Susie 107, Chem Theisen 111, *Financial Rooster 108, Virge 108, Black Baby 110, Ira Wilson 113.

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AMOLE CAPTURES MAUREPAS PURSE

Three-Year-Old Is First in All-Age Feature Event at Jefferson Park.

FAVORITE FINISHES LAST

Post Haste Receives Weird Ride by Martin—Parke Has Mount on Four Horses in Money.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 11.—Amole, three-year-old son of Vulcain and Washerwoman, owned by the Southland Stable and trained by F. P. Lettellier, won the Maurepas Handicap for all ages at six furlongs at Jefferson Park this afternoon. The winner carried 107 pounds and ran the distance in 1:15 over a good track.

Breaking well, Amole was kept in a forward position by Jockey Kederis until the last quarter, where the brown colt wore down Hidden Jewel and then in turn outstayed Hughes Graham in the final drive. Hidden Jewel, on which Ivan Parke had the mount, broke into the lead and set the pace for a half a mile, after which she tired and finished third, a length and a half back of Hughes Graham. The latter was taken back by Jockey Blind and ridden wide all the way.

The winner and the second horse were both outsiders in the wagering, receding to 12 to 1 at post time. The public choice was Post Haste, which closed at 11 to 5, but the colt was given a weird ride by Martin. The jockey took him back sharply soon after the start and rode him wide and weakly thereafter, finishing last in the field of six. Hidden Jewel was second choice, backed to 13 to 5 at post time.

Parke Rides One Winner.

Jockeys Farland and Ivan Parke had another race for the riding honors this afternoon, with the latter having a trifle the better of the argument, although he rode only one winner. He was second twice, third once and twice was unplaced. Farland also rode one winner, was second once, third once and three times unplaced.

Parke's only winner was in the opening number, a six-furlong dash in which he brought home the Maintenant filly Modesty, in front of a field of twelve. She raced as if she was the best of the lot, although she bolted after taking the lead in the first quarter and lost much ground at the stretch turn. She came rounding the far turn, but tired badly. Besthoff was an equal favorite with Foul Weather, but could never get up.

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Belgians Ask Public to Aid Olympic Drive for Funds

BRUSSELS, Dec. 11.—The Belgian Olympic Committee has decided to open a national subscription for funds to organize the Belgian Olympic team and maintain it in Paris during next year's games, as the Government appropriation is deemed altogether inadequate. The committee intends to raise several hundred thousand francs.

M. G. A. SETS DATE FOR AMATEUR PLAY

Golf Body Votes to Hold Tourney Second Week of June —Elects Officers.

Outside of the decision to hold the 1924 metropolitan amateur championship "somewhere on Long Island" during the second week in June, the annual meeting of the Metropolitan Golf Association at the Waldorf last night settled few of next year's problems.

Approximately seventy-five delegates attended the session which marked the close of one of the most successful golf years in the history of the association.

Under the rotation system in vogue, one of the Long Island courses is in line for the 1924 amateur event and five courses were offered: Lido, St. Albans, Garden City Country, Garden City Golf and the Engineers'. After taking a canvass of the delegates present, the vote favoring Lido, the matter was left to the discretion of the Executive Committee.

The whereabouts of the 1924 metropolitan open and junior events was also left for future determination. Although the open tournament is due to be played in the Westchester district, none of the courses in that section were offered. The junior event fared little better, for of the New Jersey clubs only one, Englewood, offered its course.

No Action is Taken.

Westchester Biltmore and Westchester Hills extended an invitation for the junior event to be held during the last week in June but no action was taken. In the event that there are no Westchester offerings for the open event the chances are strong that it will go to either the Engineers', Garden City Country or St. Albans, those courses having been offered.

Findlay S. Douglas of Nassau, former national amateur champion, was re-elected President of the M. G. A. for another term, his third. Charles W. O'Connor of Essex County, who has officiated as secretary for several years was elected to the Vice Presidency and his place as Secretary will be filled next year by H. Y. Barrow of Baltusrol, who is secretary of the New Jersey State Golf Association and Chairman of the M. G. A. Handicap Committee. The new Treasurer is William H. Conroy of Apawamis.

Serving on the Executive Committee in 1924 together with the officers will be Merrill K. Waters of Ardsley, Grant A. Peacock of Cherry Valley, Orwald Kirby of Knickerbocker, David H. McAlpin 2d, of the National Links, and George A. Nicol Jr. of Wykagyl.

In his address to the delegates, President Douglas defended the stymie, which has come in for considerable adverse criticism since the memorable part it played in the national amateur championship. Reading an article that stated that 90 per cent. of the golfers in the country were opposed to the stymie, Mr. Douglas said that "90 per cent. of the golfers in the country do not know what a stymie is." He defended the rule, calling it an inherent part of the game and declaring that it should be retained.

Association Pledges Aid.

He bespoke the continued support by the Metropolitan Association of the United States Golf Association and it was voted to send a letter to President-elect Wyant D. Vanderpool of the national body, a former Secretary of the M. G. A., pledging the association's aid.

The report of the Treasurer, Merrill K. Waters, showed that the association was in excellent financial condition, there being a balance of $5,007.60 in the treasury. The total receipts during the year from subscriptions, entries and admissions were $5,757.53. The expenses, the chief item being the open championship, amounted to $4,341.61.

It was shown that the membership was now 118 clubs, a gain of six over last year. New clubs added to the roster during the season were: Rye Country Club, Gedney Farm Golf Club, Inc., Bellport Country Club, Old Country Club, Westhampton Country Club, Winged Foot Golf Club, Hydewood Golf Club, Asbury Park Golf and Country Club and Spring Brook Country Club.

Two clubs resigned, the Brooklyn-Forest Park and Midland Golf Clubs, and one was disbanded, the Suffolk Country Club.

MRS. PARSON IS BEATEN.

Pinehurst Medalist Loses Match to Mrs. Chapman by 3 and 1.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 11.—Mrs. Donald Parson of Youngstown, Ohio, medalist, met defeat today in the annual tournament for woman season members at the hands of Mrs. J. D. Chapman of Greenwich after a closely contested match. Mrs. Chapman defeated Mrs. Parson by 3 and 1. The match was all even at the turn, and again at the twelfth, but Mrs. Chapman won the thirteenth, halved the next two and then took the sixteenth and seventeenth holes and the match. Mrs. Chapman went around in 44, 43—87.

In another match Mrs. G. A. Magoon of Pittsburgh defeated Mrs. J. D. Armstrong of Shenecossett by the scant margin of 1 up after being dormie 6.

Mrs. Horace H. Rackham of Detroit returned the winner after a 22-hole match with Mrs. Albert Mansfield of Cherry Valley, and Mrs. Phillip Stevenson of Piping Rock, who won the Carolina tournament here last week, advanced to the second round of match play when her opponent failed to put in an appearance.

TIJUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Icon, 102 pounds (Walls), $7.60, $4.40, $3.40, first; Lady Tiptoe, 102 (Wilson), $7.40, $4.60, second; Delancey, 106 (Glaver), $3.40, third. Time—1:08. Byrne, Bookworm, Evelyn Harrigan, Ross R., Norford Honey, Cuba, Neg, The Chamberlain, Olympian and Pink Tenny also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Hereafter, 102 pounds (Erickson), $22.20, $13.20, $8.20, first; Bess L., 99 (Walls), $4.40, $3.40, second; Phillips Lugo, 107 (Melben), $6, third. Time—1:07 3-5. Bedazzle, Mr. X, Runleigh Colonel Lit, Ike Mills, The Gallant, Dima Fiah and Zarin also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Yalta, 102 pounds (Erickson), $4, $3.20, $2.60, first; Tubby A., 115 (Barnes), $6.40, $3.20, second; Honest (George, 110 (Boganowski), $4, third. Time—1:12 4-5. Tooters, Devonite, Hillsdale and Faber also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Little Clair, 100 pounds (Sharpe), $22, $10, $4.60, first; Crescent, 109 (Boganowski), $15.50, $6.40, second; Brandeis, 110 (Watrous), $2.40, third. Time—1:07 2-5. Brannton, Odd Seth, Star Cloudy and Provident also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $1,000; one mile and a sixteenth. L'Effare, 100 pounds (Watrous), $3.80, $3.40, $2.40, first; Dorius, 108 (Boganowski), $4.60, $3.40, second; Jim Daisy, 108 (Barnes), $3.60, third. Time—1:47. Chiva and Lady Ines also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; one mile and seventy yards. Cruzero, 106 pounds (Lavine), $14, $7, $4.40, first; The Falconer, 110 (Erickson), $12.20, $5.80, second; Hyampom, 113 (Malben), $3.20, third. Time—1:45. June Fly, Fair Orient, Locust Leaves, Ten Can, Apricot and War Penny also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; one mile and a sixteenth. Wylie, 106 pounds (Walls), $5.00, $5.20, $3.20, first; Summer Sigh, 111 (E. Fator), $7.40, $4.40, second; My Rose, 111 (Clark), $3.60, third. Time—1:46 3-5. Dainty Lady, Mary Jane Baker, Carrie Baker, Bacchus and May Prosper also ran.

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HARRY GREB DENIES MAKING COMPLAINT

Says He Is Ready to Meet Wilson at Garden — Officials in Accord on Tunney Decision.

NO ACTION BY COMMISSION

Chairman McCormack Doubts Whether Beaten Boxer Made Charges Attributed to Him.

The published statements credited to Harry Greb, in which the world's middleweight champion was alleged to have attributed his defeat by Gene Tunney, American light heavyweight, in Madison Square Garden last Monday night to a plot in which he was made the victim of alleged collusion, was taken lightly in boxing circles yesterday by officials and followers of the sport alike.

Greb unequivocally denied the statements attributed to him in print. He emphasized his denial by stating that he would be prepared to defend his world's middleweight title against Johnny Wilson, former champion, in a bout at Madison Square Garden just as soon as he had a rest. Further, Greb expressed confidence that, as a result of his showing against Tunney, he would be installed a favorite to beat Wilson in the proposed Garden bout.

Promoter Tex Rickard declared that Greb had emphatically denied the statements credited to him in a telephonic communication with the Garden promoter. Frank Flournoy, Garden matchmaker, also said he had heard a denial from Greb.

Chairman William McCormack of the License Committee declared that the boxing authorities contemplated no action against Greb on the alleged statement. "I saw Greb after the bout and his one great worry seemed to be how the crowd accepted his boxing against Tunney," said McCormack. "I assured him that he had fought the cleanest and best battle I had ever witnessed from him, and told him further that he was better in defeat than he could possibly have been in victory. He replied that he was glad he had fought so well, and this satisfaction was repeated by his manager, Mason. At no time did he express any objection to the decision, nor did he complain about the manner in which the bout was conducted or the treatment he received in the ring."

The decision which gave Tunney the honors over Greb after fifteen hard rounds was a unanimous vote of the judges, Charles F. Mathison and Frankie Madden, and Referee Lou Magnolia. All three voted for Tunney at the end of the bout. Incidentally it was Mathison and Madden who officiated as judges in the bout at the Polo Grounds last August in which Greb won the world's middleweight title on a decision over Johnny Wilson.

According to Billy Gibson, manager of Tunney, the American champion will not remain idle long if suitable opponents can be induced to accept matches. It is Gibson's plan to keep Tunney busy with future bouts. The champion's manager said yesterday he would like to arrange another bout for Tunney at the Garden either on Dec. 21 or 28.

Gibson expressed a preference for a world's light-heavyweight title match against Mike McTigue, the champion, but said he was agreeable to accepting a bout for Tunney against the foremost challenger for the American title if McTigue declined the issue because of his differences with his manager.

MIXED BOUTS DIVIDE PENNSYLVANIA BOARD

Negro Member Protests Ruling of Colleagues Against Colored Boxers.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11.—Differences of opinion over an order banning bouts between white and negro boxers in Pennsylvania developed tonight in the State Athletic Commission. William H. Rocap, Chairman of the commission, issued the order yesterday.

Charles Fred White, negro member of the commission, tonight said he was not consulted regarding the matter and would oppose "any star chamber" meetings of the commission to render such decisions.

Chairman Rocap said that a vote had been taken last Saturday and that he and H. J. Boyle, third member of the commission, had voted in favor of prohibiting mixed bouts, while White had voted in favor of them.

"I called Mr. Boyle by telephone," said Rocap, "received his vote upholding my stand, and called Mr. White to my office for his vote. He said he stood in favor of mixed bouts, and so I notified him that he was overruled by Mr. Boyle and myself."

White, after declaring that Chairman Rocap had overstepped his authority, asserted that any boxing promoter could go into court and enjoin the commission from interfering with his rights under his license to promote boxing bouts if there was no reason other than "color prejudice for the prohibition."

JACKSON LICENSE HELD UP.

Athletic Commission Decides Boxer Must Be Examined.

Pending the outcome of a physical examination, Willie Jackson's application for a license to resume boxing in New York will be held under advisement by the State Athletic Commission, it was announced after yesterday's meeting of the boxing authorities.

Sammy Goldman, manager of Jackson, appeared before the meeting with a request for action on the Bronx lightweight veteran's application for a permit to engage in bouts under the commission's jurisdiction.

The commission repeated its recognition of Abe Goldstein, Yorkville bantamweight, as the class champion and again declared its intention of forcing Joe Lynch, suspended titleholder, to box Goldstein before he will be permitted to appear in a bout in this State against any other boxer.

Frank Flournoy, Madison Square Garden matchmaker, who asked about the status of Lynch and Goldstein, was advised that if Goldstein loses to another qualified bantamweight before meeting Lynch, the latter will be compelled to engage the conqueror of Goldstein.

The sixty-day suspension imposed on Charlie Pilkington, after his disqualification in a bout against Jack Bernstein, was approved.

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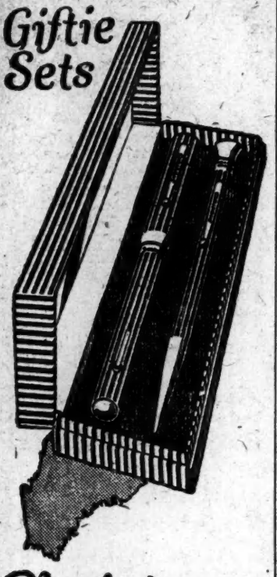

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LEADERS DEFEATED IN CLASS B SQUASH

Columbia Club Loses to Crescents and Montclair A. C. Wins From D. K. E.

YALE TRIUMPHS BY 7 TO 0

Sweeps Matches With Heights Casino and Scores Its First Victory in Tourney.

The Standing of the Teams.

	Won.	Lost.	Tie.
Columbia	3	1	0
D. K. E.	3	1	0
Princeton	3	1	0
Montclair A. C.	3	1	1
Harvard	2	2	0
Crescent A. C.	2	2	1
N. Y. A. C.	2	3	0
Yale	1	3	0
Heights Casino	0	5	0

Two unexpected setbacks were received by the league leaders in the Metropolitan Class B squash tennis team championship yesterday when the strong D. K. E. representatives were defeated by the Montclair A. C. on the latter's courts in New Jersey, by the score of 6 matches to 1, and the Columbia Club players lost to the Crescent A. C. on the Blue and White courts by the score of 4 to 3. These were the first games lost by the two defeated clubs in the tournament to date.

A four-cornered tie for first place now exists among Columbia, D. K. E., the Montclair A. C. and the Princeton Club, which yesterday defeated the N. Y. A. C. on the Orange and Black courts, 5 to 2. Each of the four leaders has won three games and lost one.

In the other match played yesterday the Yale Club won its first victory, making a clean sweep of the seven matches played with the Heights Casino of Brooklyn on the Eli courts. This was the fifth successive defeat of the Casino team. The Harvard Club, which drew a bye yesterday, is now tied for fifth place with the Crescent A. C., each of which has won two games and lost one.

Tie in One Match.

The Crescent Club and the Montclair A. C. tied one match, which will be decided when Fred A. Seller meets E. P. Cyplot. The N. Y. A. C. is seventh in the standing with two games won and three lost.

The decisive victory of the Montclair players over the D. K. E. representatives is the biggest surprise of the tournament to date. The Greek letter men were regarded as the favorites on the basis of their strong showing in their first three contests, but the New Jersey team, made up of veteran players performing on their own courts, completely surprised them. The match was to have been played on the new D. K. E. courts, but as they are not yet finished it was arranged to transfer the contest to Montclair.

The playing of Harry Wolf, the 17-year-old New Jersey find, was the feature of the match. He defeated George Davidson in straight games at 15-10, 18-13, winning continued applause from the large gallery that watched the match. The soundness of his game and the forcefulness of his smashing were outstanding. The only match won by D. K. E. was that between Ziegler Sergeant and J. G. Waldron, the former winning at 15-7, 15-7. Ellery Huntington, former all-American quarterback and coach at Colgate, carried B. H. O'Connor of Montclair to three games before submitting at 9-15, 15-9, 18-15.

Extra Games Required.

The Columbia Club players won the first three matches, but superior strength in the lower section of the Crescent line-up enabled the Brooklyn men to gain the victory.

The summaries:

Crescent A. C. 4, Columbia Club 3.

R. B. Haines, Columbia Club, defeated J. C. Tredwell, 8—13, 15—2, 15—8; W. D. L. Starbuck, Crescent A. C., defeated Donald Bellows, 15—8, 8—15, 15—13; W. M. Lee, Columbia Club, defeated C. W. Fyfe, 15—9, 11—15, 15—12; N. F. Torrance, Crescent A. C., defeated Harold Kellock, 15—13, 18—14; E. P. Cyplot, Crescent A. C., defeated W. B. Brown, 15—11, 15—5; J. W. Ivins, Crescent A. C., defeated L. A. Coffin, 15—3, 15—10; T. H. S. Andrews, Crescent A. C., defeated N. N. Alexander, 15—8, 15—12.

Princeton Club 5, N. Y. A. C. 2.

F. M. Loughman, N. Y. A. C., defeated Gavin Brackenridge, 17—15, 3—15, 15—12; Jarvis Cromwell, Princeton Club, defeated James Butler Jr., 15—7, 15—2; R. L. Farrelly, Princeton Club, defeated M. A. Bergfeld, 9—15, 15—7, 15—10; H. G. Larson, Princeton Club, defeated Chapman Ropes, 15—8, 15—8; A. M. Kidder, Princeton Club, defeated J. L. Egan, 15—12, 15—17, 15—9; W. C. Chambers, N. Y. A. C., defeated Edward Muller, 15—9, 15—11; George A. Walker, Princeton Club, defeated R. E. De Voe, 15—6, 15—3.

Yale Club 7, Heights Casino 0.

D. McK. Blodgett, Yale Club, defeated R. L. Carter, 15—8, 15—9; H. R. Smith, Yale Club, defeated Richardson Pratt, 15—13, 15—4; Arthur Goldberg, Yale Club, won from Charles Hearn by default; A. G. Gulliver, Yale Club, defeated R. L. Brown, 15—5, 15—4; J. H. Wainwright, Yale Club, defeated F. E. Walton, 15—11 15—8; L. F. Neave, Yale Club, defeated P. T. Birdsall, 15—12, 15—12; Lambert Prettyman, Yale Club, defeated E. B. Vollmer, 15—11, 15—11.

Montclair A. C. 6, D. K. E. 1.

Robert Hughes, Montclair A. C., defeated W. C. Becker, 15—2, 15—5; Harry Wolf, Montclair A. C., defeated George Davidson, 15—10, 18—13; Ziegler Sargent, D. K. E., defeated J. G. Waldron, 15—7, 15—7; Frank A. Seller, Montclair A. C., defeated G. R. Green, 15—12, 15—9; B. A. Hipkins, Montclair A. C., defeated Elliott Ward, 15—13, 15—9; B. H. O'Connor, Montclair A. C., defeated Ellery Huntington, 9—15, 15—9, 18—15; W. B. Spencer, Montclair A. C., defeated Jack Brotherhood, 15—11, 15—9.

TABERSKI WINS FINAL.

Beats Greenleaf, 100-83, for Only Victory in Four Games.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11.—Frank Taberski of Detroit, former world's pocket billiard champion, succeeded in winning the final match from Ralph Greenleaf, present title holder, at the Hudson Parlors tonight, 100 to 83. This enabled Taberski to split on the day's matches, as Greenleaf won the afternoon contest, 100 to 14.

The victory tonight was the only triumph for Taberski in the series of four, Greenleaf winning both blocks yesterday. The score by innings:

Afternoon Game.

Greenleaf—0 2 0 0 0 4 21 40 14 0 0 0 22. Total, 103. Scratches, 3. Net total, 100. Safeties, 5. Innings, 13. High run, 40.
Taberski—2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 13—17. Scratches, 3. Net total, 14. Safeties, 3. Innings, 12. High run, 13.

Night Game.

Greenleaf—0 0 0 0 0 35 0 0 1 0 6 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 8 0 0 5 0. Total, 83. Scratches, 5. Net total, 83. High run, 35. Innings, 36.
Taberski—0 14 1 30 2 0 0 0 0 14 8 0 3 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 0 7 0 0 7. Total, 102. Scratches, 2. Net total, 100. High run, 30. Innings, 36.

CITY A. C. TEAM IS VICTOR.

Beats Trinity Club at Handball, 4 to 2—Sakman Wins Match.

The City A. C. handball team defeated the Trinity Club team on the former's courts last night by the score of 4 matches to 2. A. Waldman of the City A. C. defeated S. Buxbaum by the score 21—13, 21—19, and S. Frankel and M. Dworsky added the other two points in singles for the City A. C. Trinity's only point in singles was won by William Sakman, who defeated H. Soss. The summaries:

Singles—A. Waldman, City A. C., defeated S. Buxbaum, 21—13, 21—19; S. Frankel, City A. C., defeated J. Seaman, 21—13, 21—18; William Sakman, Trinity Club, defeated H. Soss, 21—7, 13—21, 21—1; M. Dworsky, City A. C., defeated N. Schwartz, 21—13, 21—15. Doubles—Buxbaum and Sakman, Trinity Club, defeated D. Frankel and Soss, 21—13, 21—19; S. Frankel and Waldman, City A. C., defeated E. O'Connell and A. Henery, 21—8, 21—17.

Noted Dog Sells for $7,500 At Baltimore; First Cost $150

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 11.—Mrs. Jacob France has just purchased McTier, pointer extraordinary, for $7,500, which is said to be just his weight in commercial gold. McTier, now 30 months old, formerly belonged to Scott Hudson of the Atlanta Athletic Club. He bought the dog when it was 18 months old for $150. The prize animal is said to have stood far above several score of his species on exhibition at the Alabama field meeting. It is said that $5,000 previously had been offered for the dog, but was refused.

LEVIS WILL REFEREE BILLIARD PLAY-OFF

Chicago Star to Officiate at 18.2 Balkline Match—Other Cue News.

J. Herbert Levis of Chicago yesterday was chosen to referee the play-off match between Willie Hoppe and Welker Cochran for the world's 18.2 balkline billiard championship which opens in Chicago on Monday night. Levis is one of the leading amateur billiardists in the Middle West but never had time to consider making it a profession. He refereed the international tournament in Chicago in 1921 and also officiated in the challenge match between Willie Hoppe and Young Jake Schaefer in Chicago in the Spring of 1922. Levis was scheduled to referee the challenge match between Schaefer and Hoppe at the Hotel Pennsylvania last March and made the trip to New York only to face a protest by Schaefer at the last minute.

Hoppe always expressed himself satisfied with the work of Levis, while Cochran, for whom Levis has refereed a number of important matches, quickly approved the choice.

Cochran and Hoppe both will be forced to keep at the top of their games for at least another month, for after the play-off match they will meet in the challenge match in Boston on Jan. 10, 11 and 12. Then the winner of the challenge match will be called upon to meet Young Jake Schaefer in the second and final challenge match of the year, which is most likely to be played in February or March. The city for the Schaefer challenge match as yet has not been selected.

The challenge match for the junior 18.2 title also will be played this month. The tentative dates are Dec. 27, 28 and 29, with New York as the probable scene of the match. Tadao Suganuma, the champion, has the right to name the place for the scene of the match and he already has expressed a preference for New York. Jean Bruno of Austria, the challenger, is practicing here for the match and he said that the New York choice is satisfactory to him. Suganuma, who has returned from Philadelphia, where he made such a fine showing against Hoppe, averaging 27 in the 1,500-point match against the world's champion, is practicing daily at the Hoppe-Peterson club for the challenge match.

Francis S. Appleby, recent winner of the national Class A 18.1 balkline billiard championship title, and his brother Edgar T. Appleby, the holder of the International 18.2 honors, are to meet in a special contest at the 18.1 game at the Crescent Athletic Club, Brooklyn, tonight. This match has been arranged by Frederick Jones Jr., chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players, in order to afford the Appleby brothers practice for the forthcoming challenge matches.

Frank Taberski, former world's pocket billiard champon, will make his first appearance of the year in a National Championship Pocket Billiard League game here when he opens a four-game series against James Maturo at the Recreation Academy in Brooklyn this afternoon. Each game will be at 100 points. Taberski is representing Detroit in the league this year. Due to illness he was forced to retire from active competition for a month, but his health has been restored.

Billiard Results.

Four games were played in the club handicap 18.2 balkline tournament for the James A. Thomas Trophy at the Hoppe-Peterson Club last night. In the first game F. S. Reyzal defeated Major Paul Turner, 160 to 101, in sixty-four innings. His high run was 20. Julian Rice won the second from T. Buckley, 225 to 23, in seventeen innings, making a high run of 58. In the third game William Beck defeated Buckley, 140 to 42, in thirty innings. His high run was 35. Reyzal was the loser in the last game to G. G. Rothman, who collected 90 points while Reyzal was getting 125. The latter was playing for 160. The game went to fifty-six innings.

Tom Hague defeated Charles Kortman in the 18.2 balkline tournament at Julian's Fourteenth Street Academy last night by the score of 150 to 141 in 60 innings. Hague made a high run of 28, twice that of his opponent. In the three-cushion tournament at the same academy M. Flanders was the winner over William Hedderman, 21 to 19. The game went to 34 innings. Flanders's high run was 2, Hedderman's 3.

James R. Langdon and Frank Grimes won the two games played in the national Class C 18.2 balkline championship at the Recreation Academy in Brooklyn last night. Langdon defeated R. Von During, 150 to 61, in 49 innings, making a high run of 18 to 10 for the other. In the second games Grimes defeated George Steinbugler, 15 to 122 in 52 innings. The winner's high run was 16, the loser's 12.

Charles Harmon earned a tie for first place in the New York State professional pocket billiard championship at Lawler Brothers' Academy in Brooklyn last night when he defeated Fred Fournier of Utica by the score of 100 to 46 in 11 frames. His high run was 46, to 28 for Fournier. Harmon and Leo Silver have each won 7 games and lost 1 in the tournament.

In the interstate class B 18.2 balkline championship at Lawler's last night, Charles P. Mathews was the winner over Charles J. Steinbugler at the score of 200 to 136. The game went to 44 innings. Steinbugler was in the lead up to the 43d inning, when Mathews made his high run of 42 and followed it with a run of 17 to go out. Steinbugler's high run was 23.

Jean Bruno of Austria, practicing in preparation for his game with Tadao Suganuma for the junior 18.2 balkline championship, defeated A. J. Jameson at the Manhattan Recreation Academy last night by the score of 400 points to 73. Bruno made his total in fifteen innings and had runs of 99 and 87. Jameson's high run was 15.

One game was played in the three-cushion tournament at the Strand Academy last night. George Levey was the winner over Harry Fisher by the score of 25 to 22 in seventy-five innings. Both men made a high run of two. In the junior pocket billiard tournament at the Strand S. Levey defeated Estley Rothschild, 60 to 58.

The first game in the play-off of the three-cornered tie for the Manhattan three-cushion championship at the Recreation Academy yesterday was won by Louis Leeker. He defeated Frank Deegan by the score of 25 to 15 in forty innings. The high run of both men was four.

Joe Cosgrove defeated Morgan Hughes in the New York State three-cushion championship at Cranfield's 181st Street Academy last night by the score of 35 to 31 in fifty-nine innings. The winner's high run was 3, the loser's 5.

Princeton Names Soccer Leader.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 11.—Joseph W. J. Cooper of Baltimore today was elected captain of the Princeton soccer team. Cooper has played at centre forward for two years.

JAMAICA HIGH WINS HOCKEY MATCH, 10-0

Defeats Boys' High in P. S. A. L. Tourney—Stuyvesant Beats De Witt Clinton, 3-0.

The Jamaica and Stuyvesant High School teams were the winners of the two games played in the third series of the P. S. A. L. ice hockey championships last night at the 181st Street Ice Palace. Jamaica defeated Boys' High by the decisive score of 10 goals to 0, and Stuyvesant blanked De Witt Clinton at 3 to 0. Jamaica's victory was its second straight, and the Long Island team is now leading in the standing, with two games won and none lost. Boys' High's defeat was its first and Stuyvesant's victory was its first. These two schools and Erasmus Hall and Richmond Hill are each credited with 2 points. Points are scored on a basis of 2 for a victory, 1 for a tie and none for a defeat.

The Jamaica puck chasers completely outclassed the Boys' High aggregation. Willis Thompson was the high scorer for the Long Island sextet, getting the ball past the goal keeper five times—three in the first half and twice in the second. Aschoff scored four goals and Baylis the other.

The line-ups:

JAMAICA (10).		BOYS' HIGH (0).
Aschoff	L. W.	Bronstein
Baylis	R. W.	Search
Thompson	C.	Lehv
Langhar	C. P.	Berlowitz
Binning	P.	Soliwoski
Fitzpatrick	G.	Rosen

Goals—Thompson (5), Aschoff (4), Baylis.
Substitutions—Jamaica: Torrey for Baylis, Becker for Langhar, Baudel for Binning. Boys' High: Leven for Lehv, Miller for Search, Billick for Soliwoski, Greenberg for Miller, Kozaklewicz for Greenberg.
Referee—Tom Lynch. Goal scorers—James Jennings and Ray McCarthy. Time of periods—15 minutes.

STUYVESANT (3).		CLINTON (0).
Morris	L. W.	Wright
Perez	R. W.	Freeman
Whalen	C.	Meinhardt
Waltz	C. P.	Dibbe
Sweetgall	P.	Barry
Schuff	G.	Gottlieb

Goals—Whalen (2), Perez.
Substitutions—Stuyvesant: Rosenstock for Sweetgall, Clinton—Jacobes for Wright, Ruhl for Freeman, Ocker for Ruhl, Freedman for Jacobes.
Referee—Tom Lynch. Goal scorers—James Jennings and Ray McCarthy. Time of periods—15 minutes.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pts.
Jamaica	2	0	4
Erasmus Hall	1	0	2
Richmond Hill	1	0	2
Boys' High	1	1	2
Stuyvesant	1	1	2
Morris	0	1	0
Flushing	0	1	0
De Witt Clinton	0	2	0

ICELAND TEAM TRIUMPHS.

Defeats Ice Palace by Narrow Margin in Special Match.

The Iceland ice skating team defeated the representatives of the 181st Street Ice Palace in a special benefit match race at Iceland last night. The distance was one mile and the winning time was 3:14. The Ice Palace team led up until near the end. Paul Forsman, anchor man on the winning combination, caught William Murphy on the last lap and beat him to the tape. On the Iceland team were Sam Goldberg, George Pickering, West Becker and Paul Forsman. On the Ice Palace team were Jim Smith, Horace Potter, Eddie Meyers and Murphy.

Joe Moore, skating two miles against time, did the distance in 6:32 1-5.

P. S. A. L. PROHIBITS AWARD TO ELEVEN

Erasmus Hall H. S. Not Allowed to Receive Plaque From Brooklyn Alumni.

Under a decision adopted yesterday at a special meeting of the High Schools Games Committee of the Public Schools Athletic League, held in the Cornell Club, the Erasmus Hall High School football eleven will not be permitted to accept the championship plaque offered by the Alumni Committee of Brooklyn Schools as a reward for the outstanding team in the Brooklyn scholastic football season which recently closed.

While commending the motive which prompted the offer, the High Schools Games Committee nevertheless declared unanimously, according to Chairman Francis E. Brewer, that such an award was contrary to P. S. A. L. principles and could not be accepted. It was pointed out that the regulations of the Board of Education also provided restrictions in the matter of such awards.

The decision of the High Schools Games Committee, however, does not interfere with the Alumni Committee's plans for tendering a dinner to Erasmus Hall's undefeated eleven, nor with the acceptance by the individual members of the squad of gold miniature footballs as watch charms. The dinner has been arranged for Dec. 18 and will be held at the University Club of Brooklyn, when the players will receive their individual tokens.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Advances and Declines in Stocks —Rapid Recovery in Sterling Exchange.

While the stock market moved very uncertainly yesterday, with the railway shares declining because of the reduced Chicago & Northwestern dividend, the foreign exchange market gave an interesting account of itself. Sterling, which had fallen to $4.26 three weeks ago, when Baldwin called for a general election, which recovered to $4.40 one week later and went back to $4.32⅝ in the election week, rose yesterday to $4.39⅛; nearly touching the highest rate in a month and marking recovery of nearly 6½ cents from last week and of 13 cents from the low point of November.

The stock market moved irregularly from the start, but there were numerous advances until, at midday, the reduction of the Northwestern's annual dividend rate from 5 per cent. to 3 was announced. This news was followed by aggressive professional selling of the railway shares, in which that stock declined 10 points and others 1 to 3 per cent. The declines may not impossibly have been overdone; for the position of the railways in the Northwest, this past season, has been fully understood. That section was the weak spot in all the area of the springtime trade revival. It had been hit by bank failures at a time of financial recuperation elsewhere, and by a partial crop failure at a time when large crops in other parts of the country were keeping down the price of the Northwest's main product.

'As long ago as February, the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, serving the same territory, had similarly to reduce their dividends. But it was perfectly understood that the trouble from which the unsatisfactory earnings position came in all these instances was localized. It did not apply to the rest of the United States, and it did not follow that even the conditions prevalent in the Dakotas and Minnesota would be more than temporary. The incident served, however, to unsettle yesterday's stock market in its existing mood, and prices closed with irregular and contradictory changes; mostly lower.

It is not safe to assume, because the sterling rate advanced, that the exchange market was showing indifference to the British political imbroglio—though that might have been so, too, especially inasmuch when even "gilt-edged bonds" recovered at London yesterday. But the point of importance is that the sterling market has now emerged from the depressing atmosphere which surrounded it while "Cabinet juniors" were talking British inflation, and London had to unloose its purse to pay for American cotton purchases, and the Exchequer was buying dollars against the $69,000,000 interest payment due on Dec. 15 at Washington.

That payment is now provided for; largely in gold and not in drafts on London. "Cotton bills" are no longer in urgent demand, especially since Liverpool's wild speculation in American cotton has been closed out. As for "inflation," that foolishness, one may imagine, has for the present got its quietus. The Baldwin Ministry, in its unlucky six months' career, has managed to tangle up more than one part of the political situation. Through sheer supineness it allowed the "inflation talk" to get unnecessary headway; it brought Anglo-French relations to a wholly needless crisis. When these achievements had been capped by its adventure into the field of protective tariff happy-thought, it would not be unreasonable to suppose that the sterling market's stability after the Ministry's defeat is at least in a measure expression of its feelings.

As has usually happened lately, Continental exchange rates rose with sterling. Even this was not politically illogical, however, for no new British Foreign Minister is likely to repeat Lord Curzon's experiments. The German mark continued to attract some interest, not because of its movement, but because it did not move. Its valuation on exchange has been virtually unchanged since the middle of November, when the Rentenbank opened and the Reichsbank ceased issuing paper marks against the public deficit.

SUPERIOR STEEL ISSUE.

40,000 Shares Will Be Taken by a Banking Syndicate.

Stockholders of the Superior Steel Company, meeting in Richmond Va., yesterday, approved the proposal of the directors to sell 40,000 shares of new stock to a banking syndicate at $30 a share. A special meeting of the directors is to be held in Pittsburgh today to consider details of the sale.

Proceeds of the sale of the stock, as well as from the sale of bonds, which the company contemplates, will be used to retire the outstanding preferred stock at $115 a share. Another meeting of stockholders is scheduled for Feb. 15, 1924, to approve an issue of $2,750,000 first mortgage 6 per cent. fifteen-year sinking funds bonds, which will have sinking fund charges of $150,000 annually.

New Jersey Power Earnings.

The New Jersey Power and Light Company reports net earnings of $363,503 and gross earnings of $888,521 for the year ended Aug. 31, 1923. Net was approximately three and one-half times the interest charges on the company's first mortgage bonds outstanding. Since incorporation, in 1913, the company's earnings have increased about 200 per cent.

National Dairy Products Sale.

The 125,000 shares of no par value capital stock of the National Dairy Products Corporation, to be offered to the public today by Goldman, Sachs & Co., will be sold for $33 a share.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Break in Railway Shares Upsets Whole Market.

The stock market yesterday had to meet heavy liquidation in the railroad stocks, as a result of the dividend announcements made by the Directors of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway and the Omaha. Declines of 2 to more than 10 points were reported in Northwestern, Great Northern preferred, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific and other railroad issues, with the extreme loss being reported in Northwestern. The break in these stocks affected virtually the entire list. For several days past reports have been circulated in the financial district that the stock market was due for a setback in stock prices. This had created much uncertainty in commission house circles, and consequently the technical position of the market was weakened to a considerable extent, because of the attitude of traders and investors in holding off making commitments on the long side. When the unfavorable dividend announcements were made, no one was surprised at the wave of selling. There were a few stocks which moved against the tide, including General Electric, which sold up above 200, establishing a new high record.

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Views of the Market.

One of the canniest of the old-time traders, on being asked his views on the future of the stock market, once answered by saying that in his judgment some stocks would go up and some would go down. This old-time version was brought up to date yesterday by a present-generation member on the floor of the Exchange, who expressed the opinion that "good stocks look particularly good and poor stocks look extremely poor."

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Motor and Accessory Shares Strong.

Despite the weakness and general liquidation in most sections of the stock list yesterday, the automobile and accessory stocks moved upward and most of them reported substantial net gains for the day. The strength in these stocks, according to prevalent opinion in the financial district, was due to announcements on the part of numerous of the larger automobile companies that they would increase their production programs to take care of the expected increased demand in 1924. According to other speculative authorities, however, the usual "Spring rise" which follows the annual motor shows which are scheduled for January, 1924, may be more active than it has yesterday was more active than it has been in many months and the stock sold up to 15¼, closing with a net gain of 2 point for the day. Chandler led the higher priced shares, gaining 4 points net on top of a 6 point gain of 14 points since last Wednesday. Fisher Body, Detroit Timken Roller Bearing, Spicer Manufacturing and other parts and accessory stocks also scored net gains for the day.

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Extra Dividends.

The long succession of extra dividends or increased or resumed dividends, which started at the middle of last month, announcements being made almost daily since that time, is very widely considered in the financial district not only as a recognition of good earnings for 1923 but an expression of confidence in the future of business in 1924. It was asserted yesterday to be improbable that, should the Directors of these many corporations fear any serious "slow-up" in trade, they would pay out these extra sums in cash to stockholders at this time. December's extra dividends are now in excess of $50,000,000, representing more than fifty corporations engaged in a wide variety of commercial lines. Statistics which have been compiled in the financial district place the total dividend disbursements for the first eleven months of 1923 by industrial corporations at $488,-710,500, compared with $474,820,800 for the corresponding period of 1922. Railroads have disbursed thus far this year $345,080,000, compared with $336,69,8,400 in the corresponding eleven months of last year

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Northwestern Railroad Dividends.

Despite previous rumors of an impending dividend cut by the Chicago & Northwestern, the announcement yesterday was more or less of a surprise to a great number of the holders of the securities and to the market in general. As the result, the stock broke 10¼ points to 49¾ amid heavy selling, and carried with it the securities of other railroads in the Northwestern district, including the Union Pacific, the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, the latter two of which will have a meeting this month to consider dividend action. In some quarters attempts to take an optimistic view of the situation were made, and it was predicted that the Chicago & Northwestern would maintain a 4 per cent. dividend rate for the year 1924 to keep its bonds in the legal classification. One investment house suggested: "Well if the break in dividend rate had to come, this was a good time for it to happen, because the incoming Congress will realize that the condition of all the railroads in the country is not as prosperous as returns from a few of the roads would indicate."

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The Cotton Crop of 1924.

Predictions of a larger cotton crop for 1924 appear to have as one of their principal seats of origin the statements of men in the fertilizer industry. That these men should be possessed of certain information not at once available to traders and commission houses goes without saying in view of the nature of their contact with those who produce the staple. As a consequence, any indication of an increased demand for fertilizer commands a good deal of attention. One of the well-known fertilizer manufacturers, after a business trip through the South, added to the speculation regarding crop prospects by the statement yesterday that planters will enlarge their acreage an average of 10 to 15 per cent. next year. One of the trade services recently estimated that the South would require fully 5,000,000 tons of soda food in the coming year, an increase of 25 per cent. over the 1923 total.

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New Financing in Prospect.

The total of bond issues to be awarded to highest bidders by States and municipalities between Dec. 10 and the end of the year is $52,024,000, according to a compilation based on requests for bids. The largest item in this amount will be $15,000,000 of City of Detroit bonds. Competition for this business, present indications show, will be keen. Yesterday a small issue amounting to $1,800,000 of bonds for Lansing, Mich., was awarded, ten groups having entered their bids. The actual public offering of some of these issues may be held over until 1924, but bankers are of the opinion that most will be sold this year.

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"Tax Selling" and the Markets.

For the purposes of obtaining maximum savings under the expected changes in income tax rates for 1923 and 1924, customers of brokerage and investment banking houses are advised in a number of instances to "sell securities for establishing 'tax' losses this year and, conversely, to take profits in 1924." The reason is obvious. In 1923, it is suggested, the proportion saved through establishing losses will be greater than in 1924 when tax rates, it is assumed, will be lower, and inversely the tax on 1923 profits will be higher than on 1924 taxes. The whole structure of logic will depend for its reliability on whether the Mellon tax reduction plan is adopted, as now seems assured, in one form or another. That the temporary halt in the market advance has been due in part to "tax" selling is the assertion of some security dealers, one of whom stated yesterday his firm had on that day executed an order to sell 2,250 shares and bonds for a customer and on Monday had disposed of 24,000 shares of stock for another, the main purpose behind each transaction having been to establish a loss.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1923.

Day's Sales.	Monday.	Saturday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
1,181,405	1,004,156	734,900	734,789	928,670

Year to Date.	Same Period 1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
222,008,809	248,437,217	161,474,615½	212,577,701¼	301,358,838

1923 High.	1923 Low.	Sales.	Stock and Dividend Rate	First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.
72⅜	56	200	Air Reduction (4)	67¼	67½	67¼	67½	+ ⅝	67	67¼
14⅞	4½	200	Ajax Rubber	7	7	7	7		6⅞	7
17⅝	8¼	1,100	Alaska Juneau	1⅛	1⅛	1	1⅛	+ ⅛	1	1¼
106	95	100	All American Cables (6)	96	96	96	96	+ 1	93	96
80	59¼	300	Allied Chem. & Dye (4)	68⅝	68⅝	67½	67½	— 1	67¼	67¾
112	105½	100	Allied Chem. & Dt. pf. (7)	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛	110½	+ 1	110	110½
51¼	37¾	5,600	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. (4)	44¼	46¾	44¼	45¾	+ 1	45	46
36⅞	10⅞	500	Am. Agricult. Chemical	11⅜	11⅞	11⅜	11⅝		11¼	11⅝
66⅝	28¾	700	Am. Agricult. Chem. pf.	35	36	35¾	35¾	— ⅜	35½	35¾
100	77	100	Am. Bank Note (†10)	99½	99½	99½	99½	+ ½	99	104
49¼	25	1,200	Am. Beet Sugar	39½	40½	39½	40	+ ½	39½	40
60	22⅝	2,100	Am. Bosch Magneto	36¾	37¾	36½	37	+ ¾	37¼	78½
115	106	100	Am. Brake Shoe & F. (5)	76	76	76	76		103½	104
83¾	69¼	28,900	Am. Can (5)	103⅜	105½	103⅜	105¼	+ 1½	105¼	110½
104	73½	100	Am. Can pf. (7)	110	110	110	110	+ ½	107	167½
189	148¼	600	Am. Car & Foundry (12)	168	168¼	167½	167½	— ¼	167	167¾
29¾	20⅝	100	Am. Chain, Class A (2)	23	23	23	23		22½	23½
25½	16	100	Am. Chicle	13¼	14¼	13¼	14⅜	+ ⅛	14¼	15½
17⅝	5⅝	100	Am. Cotton Oil ctfs.	9⅝	9⅝	9½	9½		9	9½
29	8⅝	900	Am. Cotton Oil pf. ctfs.	29	29½	27½	27½	— 1½	27¼	28
29½	20½	700	Am. Cotton Oil pf. ctfs.	90	90	90	90	+ 1½	90	91
143⅞	87	300	Am. Express (6)	41⅞	43⅜	41½	42⅝	+ ⅝	42¾	43
74⅝	29⅝	300	Am. Hide & Leather pf.	88½	88½	88½	88½		88	88¼
111⅞	78	200	Am. Ice (7)	23½	24	23	23½	— ⅛	23	23½
33½	16	3,100	Am. International	11⅝	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛	11⅜	11⅝
13	10⅛	200	Am. La F. Fire Engine (1)	16	16	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛	15⅝	16
38	13	800	Am. Linseed	32	32½	32	32½	+ ⅛	31	33
89	28½	300	Am. Linseed pf.	73½	73½	73	73		73	73¼
79¼	64⅝	1,900	Am. Locomotive (6)	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43⅝	+ ⅛	43½	44
55⅞	40¼	200	Am. Metal (3)	93½	94½	93½	93½	— 1	93¼	94
95	76	400	Am. Radiator (4)	7	7	6⅞	6⅞		6⅞	7⅛
21⅜	10⅝	400	Am. Safety Razor (50c)	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼		10⅛	11
55⅝	38⅜	100	Am. Ship & Commerce	58⅝	58⅝	57½	57⅝	— ⅛	58	58½
95⅛	51¼	1,000	Am. Smelting & Ref. (5)	95⅝	95⅝	95⅜	95⅜		95	96
102⅝	93	100	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf. (7)	142¼	142¼	142¼	142¼		141½	142⅝
132¼	130	100	Am. Snuff (†14)	38	38⅞	38	38⅝		38	38⅝
40⅞	31⅜	900	Am. Steel Foundries (3)	56⅜	56⅝	55⅝	55⅝	— ⅝	55⅝	56
85	48	1,700	Am. Sugar Refining	96⅝	96⅞	96¼	96¼	— ⅜	96	97
108⅜	94	900	Am. Sugar Ref. pf. (7)	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝		126	126½
39⅝	16	100	Am. Sumatra Tobacco	126	126	126	126		126	126½
126	119½	1,200	Am. Telephone & Tel. (9)	148	148¼	148	148	+ 1	147¾	148¼
159⅜	140	700	Am. Tobacco, Class B (12)	74⅝	74⅝	74¼	74⅜	+ ⅝	74¼	74⅞
100⅝	65	2,400	Am. Woolen (7)	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼		2	2⅛
34	2	100	Am. Writing Paper pf.	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	— ⅛	7	8
19¾	6¼	100	Am. Zinc, Lead & S.	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝		7⅝	8
84⅝	50	2,900	Anaconda Copper (3)	38¾	38¾	38	38¼	— ⅜	38	38⅛
84⅝	51	1,000	Armour & Co. pf. Del. (7)	76	76	76	76	— 1	76	78
70	22⅝	2,800	Arnold, Constable & Co.	83⅞	83⅞	83⅞	83⅞	— ⅛	83	83½
144⅝	105¾	100	Asso. Dry Goods (4)	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾		26¾	27
13⅝	4⅝	600	Associated Oil (1½)	98	98	97½	97½	— ½	97½	97¾
190	98¼	700	Atch., Top. & S. Fe (6)	87¾	88	87¼	87¼	— ⅝	87	87½
57⅜	51	200	Atch., Top. & S. Fe pf.(5)	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞		1⅞	1⅞
35½	17	200	Atlanta, Birm. & At.	117	117	116¾	116¾	— ¼	116¾	117
89½	78¾	600	Atlantic Coast Line (7)	1	1	1	1		1	1¼
144⅝	110¼	500	Atlantic Fruit ctfs.	15	15	14¼	14½	— ⅛	14½	14¾
68⅜	40⅝	400	Atlantic, Gulf & W. Indies	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼		14	15
60⅞	53⅝	100	Atl., Gulf & W. Indies pf.	120	120	120	120	— 2½	120	122
55	22	100	Atlantic Refining (4)	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	— ½	52	54
35	9⅞	100	Atlas Powder (4)	25	25½	25	25½	— ½	25½	26
22	6	700	Austin Nichols	83¼	83¾	83¼	83¾	— ½	83	85
69¾	50	100	Austin Nichols pf. (7)	94	94	94	94		94	97
84⅝	51	600	Auto Knitter Hosiery (3)	124¼	124¼	124¼	124¼	— ¾	124½	126
70	41⅜	8,300	Baldwin Locomotive (7)	59⅝	59⅝	58⅝	59	— ⅝	58	59¼
97⅛	87	8,200	Baltimore & Ohio (5)	58⅝	58⅝	58⅛	58⅝	— ⅛	58	58⅝
9⅞	3	1,000	Balt. & Ohio pf. (4)	25	25	22	22	— 2	20	30
52¾	32¼	200	Barnet Leather	15¼	15½	15	15¼	— ¼	15	15½
10¾	7¼	600	Barnsdall Class A	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛	10⅞	11
68⅝	58¾	200	Barnsdall Class B	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	— ⅛	66	66½
50	50	100	Bayuk Cigars	74	74	73½	73½	— ½	73½	74
51⅜	41⅜	700	Beech-Nut Packing (13)	53	53	52⅝	52⅝	— ⅜	52⅝	53
97⅛	87	5,600	Bethlehem Steel (5)	92⅞	93	92⅜	92⅜	— 1	92⅜	93
9⅞	3	400	Bethlehem Steel pf. (7)	3	3	3	3		3	4½
69½	52¾	100	British Empire Steel	52¼	52¼	52¼	52¼		52	52¾
121¼	104¼	100	Brit. Emp. Steel 1st pf.(7)	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾		110	110½
18⅝	9¼	300	Bklyn. Edison Electric (8)	134½	134½	134	134	— ½	133	134
49	31⅜	9,100	Bklyn. Manhattan Transit	40⅝	42	40⅝	41⅝	+ ⅝	41⅝	42
65⅞	41⅜	4,200	Bklyn. Manh. Transit pf.	53	53	53	53		53	53¼
103¼	72	100	Brown Shoe (4)	84¼	84¾	84½	84½	— ½	84	84½
94⅝	80½	800	Brunswick Ter. & Ry.Sec.	105½	105½	105½	105¾	+ ¼	103½	105½
109½	104¼	300	General Cigar pf. (7)	199	202½	197½	199⅞	+ 2½	199½	200½
202¼	167⅝	18,600	General Electric (8)	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜	+ ⅛	104	104½
12	10⅝	500	Gen. Elec. Special (60c)	14⅞	15¼	14⅞	15¼	+ ⅜	15	15½
17½	12⅝	88,100	General Motors (1.20)	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾	— ⅛	82	83
90	78¾	200	General Motors deb. (6)	48	48	48	48		48	48¼
51⅜	39½	200	Gimbel Brothers	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ½	8½	9
12⅝	6	500	Glidden Co.	9	9	9	9		9	9¼
22⅞	8	7,900	Goldwyn Pictures	74½	74½	74½	74½	+ ½	73⅝	76⅛
92½	67¾	100	Goodrich pf. (7)	40	40	39½	39½	— ½	39¼	41
104⅝	65¼	400	Goodyear Tire & Rub. pf.	13	13	12⅞	12⅞	— ⅛	12⅝	13
109⅝	98¾	1,500	Granby Consol	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞		7¾	7⅞
38⅜	13	300	Gray & Davis	57¾	57¾	54½	55	— 2½	54½	55
40⅞	28¼	10,400	Great Northern pf. (5)	29⅞	29⅞	29¼	29¼	— ⅝	29¼	29½
70⅜	28¼	1,400	G. N. Ctfs. for O. Prop.(4)	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝	— 1½	105½	108½
56⅞	36½	100	Gt. Western Sugar pf. (7)	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞		15½	15½
76⅛	43	100	Greene-Cananea Copper	67	67	67	67		6½	7
76⅜	57	200	Guantanamo Sugar	15½	15½	15½	15½		15	15½
104⅞	96	100	Gulf, Mobile & Northern	81⅞	82	81⅝	81⅝	— ⅛	81½	82
4⅜	2	1,000	Gulf States Steel pf. (7)	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼		100	100½
13⅜	3⅜	1,000	Gulf States Steel pf. (7)	40	40½	40	40½	+ ½	40	40½
35⅜	18	1,000	Hartman Corporation (4)...	39¾	40	39¾	40	+ ¼	39¾	40¼
7	2⅜	9,900	Hayes Wheel (3)	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	+ ⅛	20⅝	21
26⅜	11¼	400	Hendee Manufacturing	57	57	57	57		56	57
45½	21	100	Homestake Mining (6)	33½	33⅝	33⅜	33⅝	+ ⅛	33½	33¾
88	63⅝	300	Household Products (3)	61½	61¾	60¾	60¾	— ¼	60¼	62
118	101½	1,500	Houston Oil	27⅝	28	27⅝	28	+ ⅛	27⅝	28
37⅝	19⅛	2,800	Hudson Motor Car (3)	80¾	80¾	78½	78½	— 1½	78½	79
95	72	200	Hupp Motor Car (1)	69¾	69¾	69	69	— ¼	68½	69
85	60⅞	1,500	Hydraulic Steel	37	37⅛	35	37	— 1½	35	37
78	35	1,000	Illinois Central (7)	76½	76½	76½	76½	— ½	75	78
100	75	500	Illinois Central pf., full pd.	104¼	104¼	104	104	— ¼	104	104½
30⅜	24¼	200	Indiahoma Refining	27½	27½	27½	27½		27	28
31⅞	14⅜	1,200	Ingersoll Rand (†28)	173½	173½	173½	173½	— ½	170	180
76⅞	60	10	Ingersoll Rand pf.	109	109	108½	108½		108	110
63⅜	45½	1,900	Inland Steel (2½)	37⅞	38	37⅞	37⅞	— ⅛	37⅝	37⅞
65¾	31⅝	2,000	Inspiration Copper (2)	25⅝	25⅝	24⅝	24⅝	— ⅝	24⅝	25⅛
37⅜	30¼	1,200	Interboro Rapid Transit	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	— ⅛	13⅜	13⅝
46	25	300	Internat. Agricultural	1	1	1	1		1	1¼
35	15	200	Internat. Agricultural pf.	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼		5	5½
89¾	67	700	Internat. Cement (4)	42⅞	42⅞	42⅜	42⅜	— ⅝	42⅜	42⅞
44	31	1,300	Internat. Comb. Eng. (2)	24⅝	24⅝	23⅝	24⅛	— ⅜	24	24½
27⅛	19⅝	2,600	Internat. Harvester (5)	77	77	77	77		76	76½
98½	66⅝	200	Internat. Mer. Marine	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼		6	6¼
11⅝	4⅞	300	Internat. Mer. Marine pf.	29¾	29¾	29¼	29¼	— ¼	29¼	29½
47	31½	2,800	Internat. Nickel	12⅝	12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	— ⅛	12⅝	12⅝
104	83	3,800	Internat. Nickel pf. (6)	80¾	80¾	80	80	— ¾	80	81
69⅜	53	400	Internat. Nickel pf. (6)	34⅞	34⅞	34½	33⅝	— 1	33	33½
27⅞	16	700	Internat. Paper	62¼	63	61½	62¾	+ 1⅜	62	63
60	50	300	Int. Paper pf. stpd. (6)	61½	62¼	61½	62¼		62	69½
64	50	100	Internat. Tel. & Tel. (6)	60	60	60	60		60	61
7¼	3⅛	1,000	Invincible Oil	11	11	10¾	10¾	— ⅛	10¾	11
32½	25	3,600	Iron Products (1½)	53	53¾	51¾	51¾	— 1½	51¾	52½
69¾	24	4,800	Jones Bros. Tea (4)	25½	25¾	24	24⅜	— 1⅛	24⅛	24½
24⅞	15⅝	1,100	Kansas City Southern	19⅝	19⅝	19¼	19¼	— ⅜	19¼	19⅝
3½	¼	500	Kansas & Gulf	¼	¼	¼	¼		¼	½
45⅞	28	900	Kayser (Julius) & Co.	35¼	35¾	34	34	— 2⅛	34	35
62⅛	20½	1,600	Kelly-Springfield Tire	31⅝	31⅞	31⅜	31½	— ⅛	31½	31⅞
47⅞	20⅝	4,900	Kennecott Copper (3)	34⅜	34⅞	34	34	— ⅛	33⅞	34
3½	1⅜	100	Keokuk & Des Moines	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛	1⅜	1⅝
11⅝	1⅝	200	Keystone Tire & Rubber	3½	3⅝	3½	3⅝		3½	3⅝
64⅜	35½	2,200	Kinney (G. R.) Co.	59	60½	59	60	+ 1⅜	60	60¼
71⅝	54	1,200	Lehigh Valley (3½)	63¼	63¾	62¾	62¾	— 1	62¾	63¼
74⅞	55¼	1,200	Lima Locomotive (4)	65⅞	66	65¼	65¼	— ¾	65¼	65⅞
21¼	14	1,000	Loew's, Incorp. (2)	18⅞	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝	— ⅛	18⅝	18⅞
11⅝	6	300	Loft, Incorp.	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾		8	8½
66	36¾	2,800	Loose-Wiles Biscuit	63¾	66	63¾	64½	+ ¾	64¼	64⅞
182⅜	146	1,500	Lorillard (P.) Co. (12)	181	183⅜	179½	180	— ¼	179	180
155	84⅜	1,000	Louis. & Nashville (5)	90	90	90	90		89⅝	90¼
20½	15	700	McIntyre Porc. Mines (1)	18½	18½	18½	18⅝	— ⅛	18⅝	18⅞
167	107⅝	700	Mack Trucks (6)	67¾	68¼	67¾	67¾	— ⅜	67¾	89
71½	57	200	Mack Trucks 1st pf. (7)	95	95	95	95		95	95
99¼	87	200	Macy (R. H.) & Co.	86	86	86	86		86	86⅛
35¼	27¾	1,000	Magma Copper	30	30	29¾	30	+ ⅛	30	30
40	21	1,200	Mallinson & Co.	30	30	29	29	— 1	29	30
66	35	1,100	Man. Elec. Supply (4)	41¾	42¾	41	41	— 1	41	41
47¾	40	900	Manhattan Shirt (3)	44½	44¾	44	44		43¾	44
27⅝	16	600	Maracaibo Oil Explor.	25½	26	25	26	— ½	26	26½
87	56¼	100	Market St. Ry. pr. pf. (6)	68½	68¾	68½	68½	— ¼	66	66½
56¾	14⅝	100	Market St. Ry. 2d pf.	30	30

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Day's Sales—	1923.	1922.	1921.	1920.	1919.
United States Government bonds	$1,304,800	$4,109,750	$7,794,100	$17,364,600	$19,531,600
Other domestic bonds	7,300,000	6,338,000	6,608,000	4,523,500	4,137,500
Foreign bonds	1,345,500	1,838,000	3,088,000	1,196,500	1,000,000
Total all bonds	$9,950,300	$12,285,750	$17,490,100	$23,084,600	$24,669,100
Year to date—					
United States Government bonds	$755,058,010	$1,570,016,377	$1,995,036,330	$2,590,869,150	$2,614,397,725
Other domestic bonds	1,425,682,700	1,842,641,600	952,521,000	712,982,500	547,521,489
Foreign bonds	419,085,100	578,876,300	342,015,700	281,244,450	258,576,600
Total all bonds	$2,599,825,810	$3,991,534,277	$3,289,573,030	$3,585,096,100	$3,420,495,814

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LOANS.

—Range Since Date of Issue.— High	Date.	Low.	Date.	—Range, '23— High	Low.	Sales	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	—Closing— Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
103.1	Oct. 19,'22	96.1	June 2,'21	101.30	99.5	116	Liberty 3½s, 1932-47	99.29	99.30	99.29	99.29	+.1	99.29	99.30	3.51
102.25	Oct. 19,'22	96.4	July 11,'21	101.25	99.7	30	Liberty 3½s, reg	99.24	99.28	99.24	99.28	+.2			
101.25	July 25,'22	93.00	May 19,'20	98.30	97.5		Lib. 1st cv. 4s, '32-47						98.10	98.28	4.12
101.10	July 24,'23	93.25	May 19,'20	98.12	97.3		Lib. 1st cv. 4s, reg								
100.26	July 23,'22	91.12	May 20,'20	98.23	96.12	2	Liberty 2d 4s, '27-42	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.7	+.3	98.4	98.10	4.13
100.16	July 14,'22	91.18	May 21,'20	98.10	96.18		Liberty 2d 4s, reg								
102.00	June 16,'23	90.00	June 7,'20	100.00	97.5		Lib. 1st 2d cv.4¼s,'32-47						97.28	98.00	
101.25	July 13,'22	94.00	May 21,'20	99.6	96.22	80	Lib. 1st cv. 4¼s, '32-47	98.12	98.14	98.11	98.11	−3	98.10	98.13	4.30
101.14	July 24,'22	94.00	July 30,'20	98.28	96.20	2	Lib. 1st cv. 4¼s, reg	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8				
101.08	July 24,'22	91.12	May 20,'20	98.8	96.24	252	Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s, '27-42	98.10	98.11	98.7	98.10		98.8	98.10	4.36
100.25	July 25,'22	93.16	Dec. 23,'20	98.28	96.21	2	Lib. 2d cv. 4¼s, reg	98.8	98.8	98.7	98.7	+.1			
101.00	July 20,'22	85.20	Dec. 20,'20	99.10	97.25	124	Liberty 3d 4¼s, 1928	99.7	99.8	99.5	99.7	−1	99.6	99.7	4.42
100.27	July 25,'22	82.12	May 19,'20	99.8	97.17	5	Liberty 3d 4¼s, reg	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	−2			
101.27	July 27,'22	82.00	May 20,'20	99.6	96.27	411¼	Liberty 4th 4¼s, '35-38	98.12	98.13	98.10	98.12	−2	98.10	98.12	4.40
101.20	July 26,'22	82.15	May 20,'20	99.00	96.28	29	Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg	98.14	98.15	98.10	98.10	+.1			
100.4	Oct. 19,'22	98.1	Mar. 27,'23	100.1	98.1	251¼	Treasury 4½s, '47-52	99.18	99.18	99.16	99.16	−.2	99.15	99.17	4.28
100.00	Feb. 14,'23	98.20	Apr. 25,'23	100.00	98.20		Treasury 4¼s, reg								

Beginning March 22, the Stock Exchange officially quotes Liberty Bonds in units and fractions, the fractions being 32ds of a unit, and the quotations after the decimal point representing one or more 32ds. In the above table, therefore, the figures of highest and lowest prices during 1923 and since date of issue are reduced to the form now used in the Stock Exchange quotations.

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Bank of New York and Trust Co. Declares Regular Quarterly $5 and $1 Extra Dividend.

Directors of the First National Bank, New York, yesterday declared an extra dividend of 20 per cent. in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 10 per cent. The bank has a capital of $10,000,000, consisting of 100,000 shares of $100 par, now selling at about $1,400 a share. The extra distribution brings the total dividends for this year to 60 per cent., or $6,000,000, the highest since 1918. The dividends, extra and regular, are payable on Jan. 2 to stockholders of record Dec. 31.

The significant feature of the declaration, it was said yesterday, was the fact that the First National had put its stock again on the pre-war basis. Before the war, the stock paid quarterly dividends of 10 per cent. and an extra dividend of 20 per cent. Since 1916 up to this year the rate had been 10 per cent. regular and 10 per cent. extra, or 50 per cent.

The latest condition report of the First National Bank, of which George F. Baker is Chairman and Jackson E. Reynolds is President, was issued on Sept. 14. Total resources were $342,404,660, surplus $50,000,000 and profits $5,943,779. Present capital, surplus and undivided profits, it was learned yesterday, total more than $68,000,000, or a gain of more than $2,000,000 since the September report.

In two weeks the stock of the bank has advanced more than $100 a share to its record high price of $1,425 a share, a gain of $575 from the low point of $850 a share reached in the post-war depression period. In yesterday's dealings, bids of $1,400 were recorded for the stock, with no offerings.

The Bank of New York and Trust Company declared a quarterly dividend of $5 a share and an extra dividend of $1 a share. Both are payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 21. The Directors of the Empire Safe Deposit Company declared a regular dividend of 1½ per cent. payable on Dec. 29 to stock of record Dec. 22.

UNITED FRUIT ON $10 BASIS.

Island Creek Coal and National Licorice Also Increase Dividends.

Directors of the United Fruit Company at their meeting yesterday declared an extra dividend of $2 a share on the capital stock, and declared four quarterly dividends of $2.50 for 1924. This action places the stock on a regular $10 annual dividend basis, against a previous rate of $8 a share. The extra dividend does not apply to the current quarter.

The Mahoning Coal Railroad Company yesterday declared a dividend of $10 a share on its common stock, payable Dec. 28 to stockholders of record Dec. 21. Dividends of $10 a share were also paid in October, June and April of this year. In addition, the Directors declared the regular semi-annual dividend of $2 a share. The regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share was also declared on the preferred stock.

An extra dividend of $1 a share was declared yesterday on the common stock of the Island Creek Coal Company in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of $2 a share.

The Standard Coupler Company declared a dividend of 3 per cent. on the preferred stock. Directors of the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company increased the dividend to 6 per cent. annually by declaring a quarterly dividend of 37½ cents a share.

The National Licorice Company declared an extra dividend of 2½ per cent. on the common stock, in addition to the regular semiannual dividend of 2½ per cent.

The Ottawa Traction Company declared an extra dividend of 2 per cent. on the capital stock, in addition to the quarterly payment of 1 per cent. The Ottawa Car Manufacturing Company also declared an extra dividend of 2 per cent. and the regular quarterly payment of 1 per cent.

Directors of the Mexican Petroleum Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of $4 a share on the common stock and $2 on the preferred. The regular quarterly dividend of $2 a share was declared on the common and Class B stocks of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport Company. R. H. Macy & Co. declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. The Kanawha & Hocking Coal and Coke Company declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent. on the preferred stock.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Market Rises Sharply—Sterling at $4.39¼ Recovers From Election Reaction.

Good-size gains were registered in the leading foreign exchanges yesterday. Sterling's gain of 2¾ cents, to $4.39¼, was particularly noteworthy, since it put the rate back to last week's best figure, before it broke on the unexpected outcome of the Parliamentary elections. Our market followed the cue of London's, where reassurance is growing that the Premiership is unlikely to go to a Laborite. The supply of sterling was scanty, while there was some important buying by banks and large importers. In the preliminary trading sterling sagged to $4.38⅝, after which the stride forward was steady and uninterrupted to the day's best price at $4.39¼. Profit taking later brought about a moderate reaction from this level.

French francs followed the lead of sterling. Paris checks improving 5 points to 5.40½ cents. Italian bills got up 4 points to 4.35 cents, with Holland, Belgian, Swiss and the Scandinavians strong. The Japanese yen continued to sag, declining ¼ cent, to 46.75 cents. The Chinese and Indian remittances were firm.

German marks were unchanged over Monday, at the nominal quotation of 20 cents per trillion, or 5,000 billion for $1, which was also the quotation a week ago. A year ago 6,000 marks were purchasable for $1.

TUESDAY, DEC. 11, 1923.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Final.	Monday's Final.
LONDON	$4.39¾	$4.38⅝	$4.39¼	$4.39½
PARIS	5.40½	5.31⅞	5.38¼	5.32½
ROME	4.38	4.34¼	4.37	4.34
AMSTERDAM	38.30	38.05	38.28	38.00
*BERLIN	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
MADRID	18.10	18.04	18.07	18.00
STOCKHOLM	26.38	26.28	26.32	26.21

*Value of $1 in billions of marks.

CLOSING RATES.

In the subjoined table the quotation on sterling represents dollars and decimals of a dollar; all others represent cents and decimals of a cent. Quotations preceded by the decimal mark indicate a price measured in fractions of a cent.

Europe.

	Tuesday.	Monday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅔ per sovereign.				
Demand	$4.39¼	$4.36¼	$4.35¾	$4.63½
Cables	4.39⅜	4.36⅝	4.36¾	4.63⅝
Comm. 60 days	4.35¼	4.33¾	4.33	4.60⅝
Com., 90 days	4.34⅛	4.32⅛	4.31⅝	4.59⅝
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	5.38⅛	5.35⅛	5.38⅛	7.05
Cables	5.39⅛	5.35⅝	5.40	7.05½
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.				
Demand	4.37	4.34	4.33½	4.98
Cables	4.37½	4.34½	4.34	4.98½
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	4.65	4.60⅝	4.65⅝	6.50
Cables	4.65½	4.61	4.66	6.50½
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand	.000000000020	.000000000020	.000000000020	.01¼
Cables	.000000000020	.000000000020	.000000000020	.01¼
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0014¼	.0014¼	.0014¼	.0014½
Cables	.0014¼	.0014½	.0014½	.0014½
CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	2.93⅝	2.92½	2.93	3.17
Cables	2.93⅝	2.92½	2.93	3.17
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.				
Demand	17.84	17.75	17.82	20.84
Cables	17.87	17.78	17.85	20.86
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark				
Demand	2.48	2.48⅛	2.45	2.54
Cables	2.48	2.48⅛	2.48	2.54
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.				
Demand	1.97	1.97	2.02	1.55
Cables	2.00	2.00	2.05	1.58
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.				
Demand	38.29	38.00	37.94	40.00
Cables	38.32	38.04	37.98	40.05
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.				
Demand	.0054	.0052	.0053	.04⅝
Cables	.0054	.0052	.0053	.04⅝
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.				
Demand	15.03	14.95	14.92	19.15
Cables	15.06	14.98	14.95	19.17
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.				
Demand	.000030	.000032	.000040	.0057
Cables	.000030	.000032	.000040	.0057
PORTUGAL—Par $1.0805 per escudo.				
Demand	3.67	3.67	3.71	4.28
Cables	3.72	3.72	3.76	4.33
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.				
Demand	.51⅛	.51⅛	.52⅛	.62
Cables	.51⅛	.51⅛	.52⅛	.62
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.				
Demand	13.07	13.00	13.01	15.06
Cables	13.09	13.02	13.03	15.08
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krona.				
Demand	26.32	26.31	26.28	26.93
Cables	26.35	26.34	26.31	26.96
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.				
Demand	17.45	17.41	17.44	18.91
Cables	17.47	17.43	17.46	18.93
YUGOSLAVIA—Par 19.3 cents per dinar.				
Demand	1.14⅜	1.14	1.13⅝	1.30
Cables	1.14⅜	1.14	1.13⅝	1.30

Far East.

CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.				
Hongkong—				
Demand	51.13	50.88	50.625	53.62
Cables	51.25	51.00	50.75	53.75
Peking—				
Demand	77.50	77.50	76.50	76.50
Shanghai—				
Demand	73.13	72.75	71.75	71.38
Cables	73.25	72.875	71.875	71.50
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, nominally stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.				
Demand	30.88	30.94	31.10	36.75
Cables	31.00	31.06	31.22	36.875
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.				
Demand	49.50	49.50	49.50	50.00
Cables	49.625	49.625	49.625	50.25
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.				
Demand	37.50	37.50	37.50	40.00
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.				
Demand	46.75	46.88	47.06	48.75
Cables	46.875	47.00	47.17	48.875

South America.

ARGENTINA—Par 42.44 cents per Argentine paper dollar.				
Demand	31.75	31.625	31.90	38.00
Cables	31.875	31.75	31.925	38.06
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.				
Demand	9.20	9.10	9.10	12.20
Cables	9.25	9.20	9.20	12.25
CHILE—Par 36.5 cents per paper peso.				
Demand	10.65	10.65	10.70	12.30
Cables	10.70	10.70	10.75	12.35
PERU—Par $4.8665 per pound.				
Checks	4.04	4.07	4.04	4.25
Cables	4.05	4.08	4.05	4.26
URUGUAY—Par $1.0342 per gold peso.				
Demand	77.51	76.93	76.92	84.21
Cables	77.80	77.47	77.27	84.56

Canada.

MONTREAL—Par 100 cents per Canadian dollar.				
Demand	97.47	97.53	97.89	99.37

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows:

(Par, $1.40 cents per ruble.)

	Bid.	Ask.
100 ruble notes, per ruble	.07	.12
500 ruble notes, per ruble	.02¾	.02¾

EARNINGS.

Idaho Power Co.—

	1923.	1922.	Chgs.
October gross	$193,089	$186,426	+$6,663
Bal. aft. tax. & chgs.	43,856	45,640	-1,784
12 mos. gross	2,509,276	2,424,074	+85,202
Bal. aft. chgs.	616,330	486,272	+131,933
†Decrease.			
‡Increase.			

Keystone Telephone Co.—

November gross	$132,460	$142,628	†$10,168
Bal. aft. tax. & chgs.	26,074	21,451	‡4,622
11 mos. gross	1,638,096	1,534,442	‡103,654
Bal. aft. tax & chgs.	260,182	178,659	‡97,003
‡Increase.			

Western Union Telegraph—

Oct. oper. rev.	$10,008,763	$9,759,941	‡$248,822
Oper. inc.	1,992,648	1,727,886	‡264,762
10 mos. oper. rev.	95,437,505	87,337,187	‡8,110,318
Oper. inc.	14,667,806	14,502,922	‡164,884
‡Increase.			
†Decrease.			

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	58.42	57.20	58.13	—1.54
25 industrials	109.38	105.84	108.30	—.58
50 stocks	84.40	82.91	83.21	—.79

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 10	84.55	83.44	83.97	—.69
Dec. 8	84.06	83.52	84.30	+.76
Dec. 7	84.32	83.20	84.32	+.95
Dec. 6	84.06	82.80	83.87	+.22
Dec. 5	83.70	82.82	83.65	+.64
Dec. 4	83.28	82.37	83.01	+.21

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1923	84.06	Dec. 8	82.37	Dec. 4	83.21
1922	86.85	Dec. 30	82.45	Dec. 1	86.53
1921	69.20	Dec. 15	66.81	Dec. 23	69.50
1920	73.73	Dec. 4	63.79	Dec. 22	67.80
1919	90.40	Dec. 31	84.10	Dec. 12	85.85

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

*1923	92.32	Mar. 6	77.15	Oct. 20	82.21
†1922	93.06	Oct. 18	66.21	Jan. 10	85.22

Full Years.

1923	93.06	Oct. 18	66.21	Jan. 10	86.58
1921	78.13	May 4	58.35	June 21	68.80
1920	94.07	Apr. 8	62.70	Dec. 22	67.80
1919	90.59	Nov. 5	69.73	Jan. 21	89.60
1918	80.18	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.39

DOMESTIC BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		Net Change. Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues	76.80	—.12	+.38	—1.95

DAILY RANGE OF DOMESTIC BONDS.

Dec. 10	76.92	—.07	Dec. 3	76.54	+.03
Dec. 8	76.99	+.12	Dec. 1	76.52	+.55
Dec. 7	76.87	+.08	Nov. 30	76.47	+.16
Dec. 6	76.79	+.04	Nov. 29	Holiday.	
Dec. 5	76.75	+.20	Nov. 28	76.31	—.13
Dec. 4	76.55	+.01	Nov. 27	76.45	+.03

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

*1922	79.43	Jan. 31	75.58	Oct. 2	76.80
†1922	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	78.75

Full Years.

1922	82.54	Aug. 22	75.01	Jan. 3	79.12
1921	78.91	Nov. 29	67.56	June 20	75.27
1920	73.14	Oct. 21	63.57	May 20	73.66
1919	79.05	June 2	71.06	Dec. 7	72.60
1918	82.96	Nov. 12	75.05	Sep. 27	78.79

FOREIGN BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE

		Net Change. Day.	Week.	Last.
10 Govt. issues	96.13	..	+.16	—.20

DAILY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

Dec. 10	96.13	—.07	Dec. 3	98.09	+.16
Dec. 8	96.20	—.04	Dec. 1	97.98	—.01
Dec. 7	96.24	—.01	Nov. 30	97.96	+.05
Dec. 6	96.25	+.02	Nov. 29	Holiday.	
Dec. 5	96.23	+.26	Nov. 28	96.01	—.14
Dec. 4	97.97	+.06	Nov. 27	96.15	—.08

YEARLY RANGE 10 FOREIGN BONDS.

	High		Low.	Last.
*1923	101.14	June 17	96.92	Jan. 30	96.13

*To date.
†To corresponding date last year.

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1918 -	302,609	1921 -	492,594
1919 -	344,898	1922 -	698,175
	*1923 -	$946,889	

*Year ended October 31, 1923.

For the year ended October 31, 1923, earnings, after deducting expenses, taxes and depreciation, were more than two and one-half times the bond interest charges, and net income available for Preferred Stock dividends was more than three and three-quarters times requirements.

The group of forty-three companies in the GENERAL GAS & ELECTRIC SYSTEM, of which the above described company is a part, serves a population in excess of 1,250,000 and includes such well-known utilities as Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Edison Company, Reading Transit & Light Company, Sandusky Gas & Electric Company, Binghamton Light, Heat & Power Company, Vermont Hydro-Electric Corporation, Rutland Railway, Light & Power Company, etc.

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8,000	" 1927	23,000	" 1933	23,000	" 1938
8,000	" 1928	23,000	" 1934	23,000	" 1939
8,000	" 1929	23,000	" 1935	23,000	" 1940
8,000	" 1930	23,000	" 1936	17,000	" 1941
8,000	" 1931			17,000	" 1942

PRICES 1926 to 1936 maturities to yield 4.75%; 1937 to 1942 maturities to yield 4.70%

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York-County, Va.	5⅛s	1933–43–53		5.12%
City of Cisco, Tex.	6s	1960–1–2		5.80%

Corporation Bonds

*Petersburg R.R. Cons. Class A	5s	1926	99⅞	5.05%
*Mobile & Ohio R.R. 1st	6s	1927	approx.	5.16%
Washgtn., Ohio & Wstn. R.R. 1st	4s	1924	approx.	5.25%
West Penn Power Co. 1st	6s	1958	approx.	5.85%
Gen. Am. Tk. Car Corp. Equip. Tr.	6s	1925–27	100	6.00%
43 Exch. Pl. Bldg. Corp. 1st S. F.	6s	1938	97¾	6.25%
West Penn Co.	6s	1925	99¼	6.53%
Pub. Serv. Co. of Colo. Conv. Deb.	7s	1941	98¼	7.25%
Commerl. Chemi. Co. Deb. S. F.	8s	1932	102½	7.60%

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1st & Ref. 5s, 1951
Cedar Rapids Mfg. & P.
1st 5s, 1953
Nor. Ontario Lgt. & Pow.
1st 6s, 1931
St. Maurice Power Co.
1st 6½s, 1953
Yadkin River Power Co.
1st 5s, 1941

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$7,093,000 IN BONDS PUT ON SALE TODAY

Virginian Railway Co. Has the Largest Issue, Calling for $5,000,000.

$52,924,000 IN PUBLIC PAPER

This Amount in Municipal and State Financing to Be Offered by Dec. 31.

A total of $7,093,000 of new bonds will be offered to the public by New York bankers today. The largest individual offering is an issue of $5,000,000 fifty-year 5 per cent. gold bonds, Series A, of the Virginian Railway Company. The bonds are being offered by a syndicate comprising the National City Company, Lee, Higginson & Co. and Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co., at 94 and interest to yield about 5⅝ per cent., subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The bonds are redeemable as a whole or in part at 110 and accrued interest.

A new issue of $1,800,000 City of Lansing, Mich., 4½ per cent. general obligation bonds, dated Jan. 2, 1924, and due serially Jan. 2, 1925 to 1953, inclusive, is offered today at prices to yield from 4.50 to 4.40 per cent., according to maturity. The syndicate offering the bonds includes Eastman, Dillon & Co., A. M. Lamport & Co., H. L. McNear & Co. and Rutter & Co. Proceeds of the bond sale will be used for electric light and power, water works, bridge and paving purposes.

Farson, Son & Co. are offering $293,000 6 per cent. gold bonds of the City of Long Beach, N. Y., due serially 1926 to 1942. The bonds are being offered at prices to yield from 4.70 to 4.75 per cent., according to maturity. They are issued for school, city hall, sewers and other purposes.

The total of State and municipal bonds to be awarded between last Dec. 10 and Dec. 31 it was stated yesterday, is $52,924,000, of which the largest issue consists of $15,000,000 of the City of Detroit. Three strong syndicates are said to have entered bids for that award.

NEW TOBACCO CORPORATION

Continental, Headed by D. A. Schulte, Acquires Several Concerns.

Formation of the Continental Tobacco Company, Inc., with an authorized capital of 200,000 shares with no par value, was announced yesterday. The company has already taken over the assets and property of several companies manufacturing tobacco and cigarettes and it is understood to be negotiating to take over other organizations. The new corporation is expected to start operations about Feb. 1, 1924.

David A. Schulte, head of the Schulte Retail Stores Corporation, will be President of the Continental Company, and J. L. Hoffman, formerly President of the Falk Tobacco Company, and one time Vice President of the Tobacco Products Corporation, will be Chairman of the directors. U. M. Reinach, secretary to Mr. Schulte, will be Secretary and Treasurer of the new company. The directors will include F. C. Collier, formerly of the Falk Tobacco Company; M. J. Sheridan, President of the Barkmahn Company, and S. E. Summerfield, President of the Gotham Hosiery Company.

FORD MOTOR INVENTORIES.

Plant to Suspend Two Days at Close of Month to Check Up.

The Ford Motor Company will close down only for two days at the close of this month for the purpose of checking up on inventories, according to advices received in Wall Street from Detroit yesterday. This is understood to be the briefest shut-down in recent history. As a result of the short suspension, production of the company this month is expected to aggregate 150,000 cars and trucks, and may possibly go above that figure and reach 160,000. The company is now producing about 7,000 cars daily, and there will be twenty-four working days this month.

The domestic production last month, according to the information, aggregated 166,000 cars and trucks, a reduction of 19,000 cars from the total output reported in October, but 45,000 units more than were produced in November last year.

Southwestern Utilities Income.

Net income of the Southwestern Utilities Corporation totaled $376,510 for the twelve months ended Oct. 31, 1923, as compared with $233,566 for a corresponding period in 1922.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

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DOMESTIC BONDS.

1923
1.... 100⅝
Nor Am Edison g f 6½s, B, 1942
6.... 96⅝
s f 6s, A, 1952
1.... 91
Nor Pacific 3s 2047
15.... 58½
4.... 58⅝
2.... 58½
10.... 58¼
4s, 1997
14.... 52
10.... 51⅝
2.... 52
3.... 51⅞
2.... 51⅞
ref & im 5s, C, 2047
3.... 91¼
new 6s, D, 2047
10.... 91⅝
3.... 91½
17.... 91¼
6.... 91
ref & im 4½s 2047
5.... 70⅝
ref & imp 6s 2047
5.... 103¼
8.... 103⅝
18.... 103½
48.... 103
12.... 102⅞
15.... 102½
3.... 102⅝
16.... 102¼
20.... 102
Nor States Pr 1st & ref 6s, 1941
1.... 90⅜
4.... 100
1st & ref 5s, 1941
1.... 89⅜
5.... 89⅜
Northwestern Bell Tel 7s, 1941
1.... 107⅜
1.... 107½
5.... 107⅞
Ohio Pub Serv ref 7s B 1947
1.... 101
Ont Power 1st s f 5s, 1943
2.... 94
3.... 93⅞
2.... 94⅜
Ore & Cal 1st 5s, 1927
1.... 99⅜
2.... 102
gtd ref 4s, 1929
2.... 92¼
Oreg-W RR & Navig 1st & ref 4s, 1961
1.... 79⅜
9.... 79⅝
5.... 79¾
12.... 79⅞
1.... 79¾
Otis Steel 7½s, 1947
1.... 93⅜
5.... 93⅞
1.... 93¾
s f 8s, 1941
10.... 99
1.... 99¼
5.... 99⅜
8.... 98⅞
1.... 99
Pac Gas & El 5s, 1942
1.... 99½
2.... 99⅝
1.... 99¾
1.... 99½
Pac of Mo 1st 4s, 1938
10.... 87½
Pac Pow & L 1st & ref 5s, 1930
2.... 92¾
Pac Tel & Tel 5s, 1937
1.... 96⅝
8.... 96⅝
7.... 97
5s, 1952
1.... 91½
1.... 91
8.... 91½
10.... 91½
1.... 91
3.... 91½
Pan-Am P & T Cal Div s f
6½s, 1933, w i
1.... 96⅜
1.... 96½
10.... 96⅝
*5.... 96⅝
10.... 96½
3.... 96⅝
5.... 96⅝
1.... 96⅜
eq 7s, 1930
4.... 102¼
2aff.... 102¼
Park-Lex s f 6½s, 1958, int ctfs
5.... 97⅝
3.... 97½
Penn Co gtd 4s, 1952, Ser E
2.... 84
Penn R R con 4½s, 1960
1.... 94⅜
gen 4½s, 1965
1.... 91⅛
gen 5s, 1968
10.... 100
3.... 99⅝
3.... 99⅝
6½s, 1936
8.... 108
1.... 106½
1.... 108
12.... 107⅜
10.... 108
gold 7s, 1930
8.... 107⅝
11.... 107½
1.... 107⅝
2.... 107⅜
Peo Gas & C of Chic ref 5s, 1947
1.... 88
1.... 88¼
con 6s, 1943
1.... 105
Pere Mar 1st 5s, 1956
5.... 91⅜
30.... 91¼
5.... 91⅛
18.... 91½
Phila Co 1st & ref 6s, 1944, Ser A
5.... 100
1.... 99⅝
1.... 100
5.... 99⅝
5½s, 1938
1.... 89½
1.... 90
Pierce-Arrow deb 8s, 1943
3.... 73¾
Pierce Oil s f deb 6s, 1931
1.... 83
P C C & St L gtd 4½s, Ser A, 1940
10.... 95¼
gen 5s, Ser A, 1970
1.... 96½
Poe Con Col gtd 5s, 1959
2.... 92½
Port Ry L & P 7½s, Ser A, 1946
2.... 104
1.... 105½
Prod & Ref s f 8s, 1931, w w
1 c.... 113
Pub Ser Corp 8s, 1959
2.... 80½
1.... 81¼
1.... 81¼
1.... 81
Punta Alegre Sug s f 7s, 1937
9.... 107⅜
2.... 106
2.... 107⅜
Read gen 4s, 1997
1.... 87
reg
1.... 86⅜
ctfs of dep
2.... 86⅜
Read Jer Cen col 4s, 1951
2.... 81⅜
Remington Arms 1st 6s, Ser A, 1937
1.... 94
1.... 94¼
4.... 94½
Rep Iron & Stl s f 5s, 1940
5.... 92½
2.... 92¾
ref & gen 5½s, 1953
7.... 89⅛
1.... 89⅜
Rio Grd. S 4s, 1940
1.... 7
R I A & L 4½s, 1934
5.... 75
Rogers-Brown iron gen & ref 7s, 1942
1.... 84½
St L I Mt & So gen 5s, 1931
unif & ref 4s, 1929
20.... 83⅜
9.... 83½
River & Gulf 4s, 1933
1.... 73½
St L & S F g l 4s, 1950, Ser A
5.... 66⅜
15.... 67
19.... 66⅝
2.... 67
2.... 66⅞
7.... 66⅝
y l 5s, 1950, Ser B
5.... 80⅝
2.... 81
1st mtg 5½s, 1942, Ser D
2.... 86⅝
adj 6s, 1955
10.... 72¼
2.... 72½
2.... 72⅝
2.... 72½
13.... 72
inc 5s, 1960
4.... 58⅝
1.... 58¼
2.... 58⅜
9.... 58½
1.... 58⅜
6.... 58½
1.... 58⅝
34.... 58⅝
1.... 58⅝
8.... 58
St L S W 1st 4s, 1989
15.... 75⅜
4.... 78
con 4s, 1932
1.... 78½
2.... 78⅝
10.... 78
5.... 78¼
1.... 78
1.... 78½
1st term 5s, 1952
1.... 75¾
7.... 76
6.... 75⅝
St P & Kan C Sh Line 1st 4½s, 1941
1.... 72⅜
St P, M & M Mont ext 4s, 1937
1.... 89⅝
St P Un Dep 1st & ref 5s, Ser A, 1972, when issued
15.... 96¼
17.... 95⅞
15.... 95
3.... 95⅞
San An & A P 4s, 1943
1.... 79
2.... 71½
1.... 71¾
8.... 71⅞
Sake & Co s f 7s, 1942
7.... 104
Seaboard A L gold 4s, 1950 stamped
1.... 59⅛
ref 4s, 1959
2.... 47⅛
con 6s, 1945
4.... 69⅜
4.... 69⅝
7.... 68⅛
6.... 68⅜
2.... 68⅛
2.... 68⅜
6.... 68⅜
10.... 68⅛
11.... 68⅛
1.... 68⅜
adj 5s, 1949
1.... 46⅛
2.... 47⅛
53.... 45
7.... 44⅞
2.... 45⅛
96.... 45
8.... 44½
Shell Pet 1st s f 6s, Ser A, 1941
3.... 99⅛
Sinclair Con 1st 6½s, 1927
1.... 87⅛
2.... 87⅜
3.... 87⅛
2.... 87
10.... 87⅛
1.... 87⅞
3.... 87⅞
col 7s, 1938
1.... 93½
4.... 93⅝
1.... 93¾
1.... 93⅝
5.... 93⅜
Sinclair Crude Oil pur 5½s, Ser A, 1925
9.... 97¼
8.... 97
1.... 96⅝
5.... 96½
pur m g 6s, Ser B
2.... 97
2.... 97⅛
Sinclair Pipe Line s f 5s, 1942
14.... 81
2.... 81⅛
5.... 80⅝
So Pac R Sup col s f 7s, 1941
1.... 101
4.... 100¼
1.... 101
So Pac col 4s, 1949
1.... 83⅜
conv 4s, 1929
1.... 92⅜
24ff.. 91
6.... 92⅜
2.... 92⅞
1st ref 4s, 1955
2.... 90⅜
2.... 86¼
Sothn Ry 1st 5s, 1994
1.... 98
2.... 96¼
4.... 95⅝
gen 4s, 1956
1.... 68⅜
2.... 65⅜
2.... 65⅞
2.... 66⅜
3.... 66
6s, 1956
int rcts
1.... 94⅜
2.... 96½
dev 6½s, 1956
1.... 101¼
12.... 101¼
2.... 101¼
5.... 101
3.... 101⅞
1.... 101⅜
24.... 101
1.... 100⅝
M & O col 4s, 1938
2.... 75⅜
Steel & Tube gen s f 7s, 1951
1.... 103⅜
3.... 104
1.... 103¼
1.... 104
Sugar Estates of Oriente 7s, 1942
2.... 86¼
Texas Elec 1st & ref 6s, Ser A
2.... 93⅜
1.... 93⅝
5.... 93⅝
1.... 93⅞
6.... 93⅝
2.... 94
Texas & Pac 1st 5s, 2000
15.... 88
La div B L 5s, 1931
15.... 91
1.... 90½
1.... 91⅛
2.... 92
5.... 92⅝
Third Av ref 4s, 1960
3.... 53½
3.... 53⅝
adj 5s, 1960
2.... 46
6.... 44⅝
45
Tidewater Oil 6½s, 1931
1.... 102⅝
1.... 102½
Tol & Ohio Cent gen 5s, 1935
5.... 91½
Tol St L & W prior lien 3½s, 1925
1.... 96⅛
4s, 1950
2.... 75⅝
2.... 76
2.... 75⅝
2.... 76
Ulster & Del 5s, 1928
1.... 91⅜
Undergrd Elec Rys of Lon 4½s, 1933
2.... 85
Union El L & P 5s, 1933
1.... 91⅛
5s, 1922
1.... 96⅝
Union Oil of Cal 5s, Ser A, 1942
1.... 98⅝
2.... 99
Un Pac 1st 4s, 1947
7.... 90⅝
7.5.... 91½
1.... 90⅞
1.... 90⅝
conv 4s, 1927
2.... 90⅝
1st lien & ref 5s, 2008, temp
10.... 100
5s14f. 99⅝
1.... 100
1.... 99⅝
1st & ref 4s, 2008
2.... 82⅜
Union Pac 6s, 1928
12.... 103
United Drug conv 5s, 1941
1.... 110
Un Fuel Gas 6s, 1936
1.... 93½
United Rys of St L 4s, 1934
2.... 63¼
3.... 63½
10.... 63⅜
U S Hoffman deb 5s, 1922
4.... 103
U S Rubber 1st & ref 5s, 1947
6.... 85¼
5.... 85⅝
4.... 85⅝
1.... 85⅝
1.... 85⅝
5.... 85⅝
1.... 85¼
1.... 85¼
U S Rubber 7½s, 1930
14.... 103¼
8.... 103¼
U S Steel Corp s f 5s, 1963
4.... 105¼
2.... 105½
4.... 105⅜
11.... 105¼
United Stores Realty Corp s f 6s, 1942
1.... 98⅝
1.... 98⅞
Utah Light & Tr 5s, 1944
9.... 79⅝
Utah Power & Light 5s, 1944
2.... 98⅛
Va Car Chem s f 7s, Ser A, 1947
15.... 88¼
15.... 91
1.... 90½
1.... 91½
2.... 92
5.... 92⅝
Third Av ref 4s, 1960
3.... 53½
adj 5s, 1960
2.... 46
6.... 44⅝
45
Tidewater Oil 6½s, 1931
1.... 102⅝
1.... 102½
Tol & Ohio Cent gen 5s, 1935
5.... 91½
Tol St L & W prior lien 3½s, 1925
1.... 96⅛
4s, 1950
2.... 75⅝
2.... 76
2.... 75⅝
2.... 76
Ulster & Del 5s, 1928
1.... 91⅜
Undergrd Elec Rys of Lon 4½s, 1933
2.... 85
Union El L & P 5s, 1933
1.... 91⅛
5s, 1922
1.... 96⅝
Union Oil of Cal 5s, Ser A, 1942
1.... 98⅝
2.... 99
Un Pac 1st 4s, 1947
7.... 90⅝
7.5.... 91½
1.... 90⅞
1.... 90⅝
conv 4s, 1927
2.... 90⅝
1st lien & ref 5s, 2008, temp
10.... 100
5s14f. 99⅝
1.... 100
1.... 99⅝
1st & ref 4s, 2008
2.... 82⅜
Union Pac 6s, 1928
12.... 103
United Drug conv 5s, 1941
1.... 110
Un Fuel Gas 6s, 1936
1.... 93½
United Rys of St L 4s, 1934
2.... 63¼
3.... 63½
10.... 63⅜
U S Hoffman deb 5s, 1922
4.... 103
U S Rubber 1st & ref 5s, 1947
6.... 85¼
5.... 85⅝
4.... 85⅝
1.... 85⅝
1.... 85⅝
5.... 85⅝
1.... 85¼
1.... 85¼
U S Rubber 7½s, 1930
14.... 103¼
8.... 103¼
U S Steel Corp s f 5s, 1963
4.... 105¼
2.... 105½
4.... 105⅜
11.... 105¼
United Stores Realty Corp s f 6s, 1942
1.... 98⅝
1.... 98⅞
Utah Light & Tr 5s, 1944
9.... 79⅝
Utah Power & Light 5s, 1944
2.... 98⅛
Va Car Chem s f 7s, Ser A, 1947
15.... 88¼
1.... 88
1.... 83½
15.... 83
s f conv 7½s, Ser A, 1947, with warr
1.... 68
1.... 68⅝
1.... 67½
2.... 68
Va Midld gen 5s, 1936
1.... 97½
Virgin Ry 1st 5s, 1962
12.... 94⅛
11.... 94
4.... 94½
1.... 94¾
Va Ry & Pwr 5s, 1934
1.... 87¼
1.... 88
Vic Fuel 1st 5s, 1953
1.... 63
Wabash Omaha div 5½s, 1951
1.... 69
Warner Sugar 1st s f 7s, 1941
2.... 103½
West Md 4s, 1952
1.... 58⅜
1.... 58¾
2.... 58⅝
1.... 58½
West Pac 6s, Ser B, 1946
1.... 92
1.... 91¼
5s, 1946
5.... 80⅝
5.... 80⅝
16.... 81
West Pa Pwr 1st 7s, Ser D 1946
2.... 104½
1.... 104⅝
1.... 104⅜
1.... 104⅜
1.... 104½
5s, 1940
3.... 90⅝
2.... 90⅜
6s, C, 1956
2.... 101¼
West Un Tel col tr 5s, 1938
1.... 97¼
5.... 97
6½s
1.... 108⅞
Weath E & M 7s, 1931
3.... 107¾
7.... 107¼
3.... 107¼
1.... 107½
Wheeling & L E 1st con 4s, 1949
1.... 91⅞
2.... 92
Wire-Spun Steel s f 8s, 1935
1.... 77¼
1.... 77⅜
1.... 77⅞
1.... 78¼
1.... 77⅜
3.... 78½
1.... 77⅜
Wilks & East 1st 5s, 1942
1.... 52
Wilson & Co 1st 6s, 1941
10.... 86
1.... 95⅝
cv 6s, 1938
1.... 85½
2.... 87⅝
cv 7½s, 1931
9.... 96
Wis Cent. Sup & Dul div & term 4s, 1936
5.... 77
Youngstown S & Tube 6s, temporary
5.... 94¼
1.... 94⅜
5.... 94⅝
4.... 94¼
5.... 94⅜
5.... 94⅛
4.... 94⅜

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Revenue receipts and expenditures as at close of business Dec. 8:

Receipts.	This Month.	Corresp. Period Last Year.	Fisc. Yr. 1923.	Corresp. Period Fisc. Yr. 1922.
Customs	$12,504,975.06	$11,785,222.21	$241,318,287.10	$223,207,285.59
Internal rev.—income and profits tax	12,216,313.67	7,603,328.46	405,250,740.64	401,408,037.41
Misc. internal revenue	23,026,468.29	29,778,096.21	470,581,826.90	457,972,122.89
Misc. receipts, proceeds Govt.-owned foreign obligations:				
Principal	.....	53,796.15	37,930,194.46	571,877.19
Interest	.....	164,169.06	11,723,214.13	116,168,924.49
Railroad securities	1,193,120.56	23,265,634.47	15,443,866.43	99,046,737.00
All others	.....	*164,169.06	4,745,702.55	30,138,640.14
Trust fund rcts. (reappropriated for investors)	404,407.15	434,866.62	13,263,727.90	11,727,740.45
Proceeds sale of surplus property	1,024,681.58	948,261.06	22,515,298.07	22,517,679.33
Panama Canal tolls, &c.	657,591.81	650,845.01	12,162,215.17	6,360,623.50
Rcts. from misc. sources credited direct to appropriations	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other miscellaneous	607,112.35	1,782,165.38	18,949,870.00	25,123,834.56
	5,639,410.14	8,754,353.01	106,458,762.86	105,885,375.99
Total ordinary	$56,274,578.46	$84,927,301.49	$1,459,404,816.11	$1,480,708,658.13
Excess of ord. rcts. over total expns. against ordinary receipts	.....	30,092,742.95	.....	.....
Excess of total expns. chargeable against ord. receipts	5,543,280.77	.....	86,787,709.77	89,445,571.21
Total expns. chargeable against ord. receipts	$71,817,859.23	$84,834,458.54	$1,546,192,525.88	$1,570,149,229.34

*Counter entry (deduct).

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Mississippi County, Arkansas, Road Improvement District No. 1	6%	1929-1943	5.40%
Brown County, Illinois, Big Prairie Drainage & Levee District	6%	1929-1939	5.40%
Yazoo County, Mississippi, Rocky Bayou Levee & Drainage District	6%	1933-1948	5.50%
Hidalgo County, Texas, Water Improvement District No. 2	6%	1947	6.00%

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Interest payable May 1 and November 1. Redeemable as a whole or in part at 110 and interest.

Issue subject to authorization by the Interstate Commerce Commission

C. W. Huntington, Esq., President of The Virginian Railway Company, has summarized as follows his letter to us describing these Bonds:

The proceeds from the sale of these Bonds will be used for improvements, additions and betterments to the road of The Virginian Railway Company and the property of its subsidiary, The Virginian Terminal Railway Company, particularly for the electrification programme of the Company, and for expenditures made and to be made on account of the construction of the second electrically operated coal pier now being constructed at Sewalls Point.

These Bonds, of which $42,344,000 will have been issued upon completion of the present financing, are secured by first mortgage on 503.17 miles of road, extending from Deepwater, W. Va., through the Pocahontas and New River coal fields, thence east to Norfolk, Va., and all equipment owned by the Company. The Bonds are additionally secured by first collateral lien through pledge of all the bonds and capital stock (except Directors' shares) of The Virginian Terminal Railway Company, upon 600 acres of valuable waterfront and the Company's steel coal-loading piers and terminal property at Sewalls Point.

The Company has $27,955,000 Preferred Stock outstanding, on which dividends at the rate of 6% per annum are being paid, and $31,271,500 Common Stock.

During the seven-year period ended December 31, 1922, The Virginian Railway's income available for fixed charges was equivalent to a yearly average of 2.47 times the requirements.

For the ten months of the current year total operating revenues of $18,226,391 are $2,159,408, or 13.4%, more than were earned in the corresponding period of the previous year, and the income available for fixed charges was equivalent to more than 2¾ times the requirements. The surplus after fixed charges amounted to $4,308,243, an increase of 32%.

CONDENSED OPERATING INCOME ACCOUNT
Seven years ended December 31, 1922

Year ended December 31	Total Operating Revenues	Gross Income	Fixed Charges	Net Income
1916	$8,455,964	$4,243,763	$1,764,456	$2,479,307
1917	10,242,473	4,597,077	1,756,312	2,840,765
1918	11,906,444	3,165,060	1,720,996	1,444,064
1919	12,075,305	3,612,645	1,767,012	1,845,633
1920	18,158,853	5,332,933	2,045,472	3,287,461
1921	18,024 357	7,682,770*	2,436,943	5,245,827
1922	19,009,444	5,922,289	2,514,256	3,408,033

*Includes $2,308,095 additional income received for rent of property during the period of Federal control.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT
(As Officially Reported)

Assessed Valuation (1923)	$130,295,418
*Total Bonded Debt (including this issue)	7,378,000
Water Debt included in above	$1,405,000
Sinking Fund	251,981
Net Bonded Debt	5,721,019
Population (1920)	57,327
Population (Est. 1923)	80,000

RATIO NET DEBT TO ASSESSED VALUATION 4⅜%

*In 1919 a well located power and central steam heating plant was deeded to the City by the Michigan Heat & Power Company. There are $97,475 mortgage bonds outstanding against this plant which were not assumed by the City and are not included in the above debt statement. The retention of the plant by the City depends, however, upon its meeting interest and monthly sinking fund requirements on these bonds.

These bonds, issued $1,000,000 for Electric Light and Power, $600,000 for Water Works Extension, $100,000 Bridge and $100,000 for Paving purposes, are a direct, general obligation of the entire City, all taxable property therein being subject to direct taxation for the prompt payment of interest and principal.

MATURITIES

$20,000	1925	$90,000	1934	$90,000	1941	$80,000	1948
20,000	1926	90,000	1935	80,000	1942	80,000	1949
20,000	1927	90,000	1936	80,000	1943	80,000	1950
20,000	1928	90,000	1937	80,000	1944	80,000	1951
20,000	1929	90,000	1938	80,000	1945	80,000	1952
10,000	1932	90,000	1939	80,000	1946	80,000	1953
10,000	1933	90,000	1940	80,000	1947		

PRICES

Maturities 1925-1933, To Yield 4.50%
Maturities 1934-1938, To Yield 4.45%
Maturities 1939-1953, To Yield 4.40%

Legal opinion of John C. Thomson, Esq., New York City.

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DIVIDENDS.

NATIONAL LICORICE COMPANY,
CONSECUTIVE PREFERRED DIVIDEND, NO. 56.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1¾% on the Preferred Stock of this company has this day been declared payable on December 31st next to all Preferred Stockholders of record at the close of business December 24th.

H. W. PETHERBRIDGE, Treasurer.
December 11th, 1923.

NATIONAL LICORICE COMPANY,
COMMON DIVIDEND NO. 44 AND AN EXTRA DIVIDEND.

The regular semi-annual dividend of 2½% and an extra dividend of 2½% on the Common Stock of this Company has this day been declared payable January 3th next to all Common Stockholders of record at the close of business December 24th.

H. W. PETHERBRIDGE, Treasurer.
December 11th, 1923.

American Woolen Company
(Massachusetts Corporation)
QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS

Notice is hereby given that the regular quarterly dividends of One Dollar and Seventy-Five Cents ($1.75) per share on the Preferred Stock and One Dollar and Seventy-Five Cents ($1.75) per share on the Common Stock of this Company will be paid on Jan. 15, 1924, to stockholders of record Dec. 14, 1923.

Transfer books will be closed at the close of business Dec. 14, 1923, and will be reopened at the opening of business Dec. 27, 1923.

WILLIAM H. DWELLY, Treasurer.
Shawsheen Village, Andover, Mass.
Dec. 4, 1923.

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY,
120 Broadway, New York.
PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 13.

The Board of Directors of the Alabama Power Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1.75 per share, payable January 1st to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 20th.

ROBERT M. MacLEITCHIE, Treasurer.

SAYS CORPORATIONS PAID EXEMPT TAXES

Accountant Tells of Loss to Many Brokers Who Have "Moneyed Capital."

BLAMES STATE TAX BOARD

Failure to Provide for Effect of New Law on the Returns One of Causes, He Declares.

Failure to apply properly or to take into account the exemptions contained in the New York State franchise and income taxes will cost many corporations, partnerships and individuals many thousands of dollars this year, if they are dealers or brokers who have "moneyed capital" in competition with national banks, according to L. J. Escoett, tax accountant, of 80 Wall Street.

Mr. Escoett, who specializes in the application of all tax laws on intangibles, said that the City Clerk has on file assessments totaling $681,000,000 under the moneyed capital law for concerns in New York City alone.

"The income on this sum of capital is exempt from further taxation and should be applied to reduce the income as reported by corporations under Article 9A and partnerships and individuals reporting under the personal income tax law," said Mr. Escoett. He added that one of the causes for a great deal of the confusion was the failure of the State Tax Commission to provide for the effect of the moneyed capital law on the franchise tax blanks. This, he said, also was one of the causes for the delayed assessments on the franchise tax which were due Nov. 1.

"Corporations who filed their reports under Article 9A who have not availed themselves of the exemption should immediately prepare revised returns setting forth the reason and calculation on a rider attached thereto," he said. "Partnerships and individuals also are cautioned to carefully study the situation so that they do not overpay their taxes, as it is difficult and sometimes impossible to obtain a refund of taxes voluntarily overpaid under the laws of this State.

"Incorporated bond houses and other corporations who were taxed in the past for franchise tax purposes on interest from tax exempt securities may apply now for a refund, as the Court of Appeals on Dec. 4 decided that the State Tax Commission erred in taxing exempt interest for the reason that it formed no part of gross income reported to the Federal Government on which the franchise tax is partially based."

ATTACKS 'PITTSBURGH BASE'

Fetter Declares Steel Selling Practice Prevents Free Competition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The "Pittsburgh base" practice of selling steel in the Middle West was declared to be an infringement upon the free operation of the law of competitive supply and demand in price making by Professor F. A. Fetter of Princeton University in testifying today at the Federal Trade Commission hearings on the subject. Appearing as an expert Professor Fetter said that records over several years of steel sales in Western communities indicated that the "Pittsburgh base" system had operated to hamper the free movement of prices.

The custom in the steel industry, to which the commission's attention has been directed during a long inquiry, is to sell steel at Western points on the basis of current prices for the commodity at Pittsburgh, plus freight from that city to the point of consumption, even if the steel was manufactured at Chicago or Gary, Ind.

The result of such a practice, Professor Fetter said, "was a terraced discrimination." Buyers would suffer, he added, because the prices made to them would vary according to the place to which their purchases might have to be shipped.

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Prices Steady—High-Grade Bonds Recover at London and Paris.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Trading was quiet and prices were steady on the Stock Exchange today. Old 2½ per cent. consols unchanged at 56¼, 5 per cent. war loan ⅛ higher at 100⅝, 4½ per cent. war loan ⅛ higher at 97½. De Beers Mining ⅛ higher at 12, Rand Mines unchanged at 8⅛.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—Prices were firm on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 15 centimes higher at 55 francs 45 centimes, 5 per cent. war loan 20 centimes higher at 70 francs 40 centimes.

Exchange on London 35 centimes higher at 82 francs 6 centimes per sovereign. American dollars quoted at 18 francs 75½ centimes, against 18.71 yesterday.

Jones Bros. Tea Profits Grow.

The Jones Brothers Tea Company, Inc., for November reports gross sales of $1,922,667, against $1,448,173 in the same month last year. Sales for the eleven months ended Nov. 30 were $18,826,380, against $15,709,995 last year.

OIL LAUDED AS FUEL FOR HEATING HOUSES

Movement to Substitute It for Anthracite Said to Be Gaining Headway.

COST IS NOT EXCESSIVE

Henry L. Doherty Denies That It Is Expensive, Dangerous or the Supply Uncertain.

The movement to substitute fuel oil for anthracite is gaining headway in this country, according to leaders in the industry, which is carrying on a campaign to encourage the use of oil-burners in homes. Henry L. Doherty, head of the Cities Service organization, at a recent meeting of the New England Burner Manufacturers' Association, said that oil for heating was "not too expensive." He tried to point out some of the fallacies in the public mind, especially that it is expensive, dangerous and that the supply is uncertain.

Mr. Doherty said: "As a gas man, I am, of course, ambitious to substitute gas for heating in place of solid fuels, but oil for house-heating purposes threatens to make it more difficult for gas men to substitute their product. In my estimation, the most perfect condition would be for a substitution of a combination of gas and oil for solid fuels. Today, however, oil must have the right of way over gas and other substitutes.

"The average man who says that the cost of oil as a fuel and the high cost of the apparatus for heating are too much for him is really cheating himself. If you ask the average home owner what his fuel bill in a heating season is, he will mention only the dollars paid for the coal he buys and will fail to place any value on his work of firing the furnace and removal of ashes. Neither will he give any value to the space which is released when oil is the fuel used.

"In other words, he is willing to do work for himself and not charge himself as much as his boss pays him for the work he does for his salary, and the chances are he figures that his boss underpays him.

"In my opinion the oil industry must accept the responsibility of furnishing all necessary oil for house-heating purposes, and there is no question in my mind but what the oil industry will be found 100 per cent. ready to co-operate in order to permit the house owner to heat his home with oil.

"Now the question of the future supply of oil and the price are the things that seem to be bothering the average man. No one can tell where oil is to be found, but, in my opinion, there will be no scarcity that the oil companies will fail to take care of. I can see no reason now for a great advance in the price of fuel oil. Density of demand will be a factor, of course. The production of 2,250,000 barrels of crude oil per day is apparently at its crest, but I do not believe that there will be any great advance in price of oil for house-heating purposes, as too great an advance will immediately be followed by the gas man stepping in to take the business from the oil industry.

"There have been foolish beliefs circulating among those who do not know, that oil as a house-heating fuel is dangerous. Non-volatile oils are not dangerous, and I believe that all of this feeling that oil is dangerous is due to the fact that the average person has had his experience with volatile oils. If you drop a red-hot brand into a can of non-volatile oil and there would be no fire. Non-volatile oils are those best adaptable for heating in place of solid fuels. A careful check would probably show that there has been more fires from hot cinders and coals from coal fires than from oil-burning apparatus.

"I have been trying to stir up the oil industry to the potential market it has for its product in heating with oil, and I believe that you will find the oil industry co-operating 100 per cent. when that co-operation is needed. One thing more—there is no question but what the oil burner must be adequately serviced."

R.H.LONG CLAIMS SOLVENCY.

Counsel Says He Will Pay in Full and Have a Surplus Left.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—At a hearing today in the Federal Court upon the question of appointment of receivers for the R. H. Long Company, and the R. H. Long Motors Company, both of which have been recently petitioned into bankruptcy, Attorneys for R. H. Long stated that the latter expects not only to pay his creditors, but to have a substantial amount left over. Judge Lowell took the appointment of receivers under consideration.

Martin T. Hall, Counsel for Long, informed the court that answers denying the insolvency of either company would be filed soon and that a recent examination of the finances of both firms revealed that both were fully solvent.

He said, too, that the statement that there was a $1,400,000 claim pending from the Government was far from the truth.

"There is a field examiner's report indicating such a tax," he said, "but no claim has been made by the Government and Mr. Long believes that there will be a refund when the offsets are checked up."

OIL MARKET IS FIRMER.

Drop in Production the Cause—Jobbers Face Difficulties.

A firmer tone prevails in both refined and crude petroleum, according to trade information, as a result of the sharp drop in crude oil production within recent months in both California and the Powell field in Texas.

Some leaders in the industry expect higher prices for both crude oil and refined products before the close of this year. No advance in the price of gasoline to the public is expected, but increases of ¼ cent a gallon in both gasoline and kerosene have already been announced to jobbers. In well informed circles this is said to indicate that the larger producing and manufacturing companies, while still having large stocks of oil, are reluctant to dispose of them to jobbers. They calculate that with production falling they will need these supplies for their regular customers. The jobbers are expected to experience a lean Winter, in contrast to enormous profits last Summer.

Conlan in Rail Merger Fight.

William J. Conlan has been retained by the Pennsylvania State Chamber of Commerce to present its protest against the merger of the New York Central Railroad and the Philadelphia & Reading Railway at the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission Jan. 7, it was reported in the financial district yesterday.

American Utilities Dividend.

Directors of the American Public Utilities Company have declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the prior preferred stock; 1 per cent. on the participating preferred stock, and 3½% on the 6 per cent. preferred stock, payable Jan. 2, to stock of record at the close of business Dec. 20.

TWO ROADS REDUCE RATE OF DIVIDEND

Chicago & Northwestern Cuts It on the Common Stock From 2½ to 1½%.

POOR BUSINESS IS BLAMED

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Omits Payment on Common—Earnings Off.

As the result of what the Directors described as unsatisfactory business conditions in the Northwest, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway yesterday was obliged to cut the semi-annual dividend on its common stock from 2½ to 1½ per cent., and the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha was forced to omit the dividend on the common stock. The corporation has paid 5 per cent. since 1917.

Earnings of these roads for the three quarters of 1923 declined sharply, compared with earnings for the same period in 1922. This was due, in the opinion of Directors, to unfavorable conditions in the wheat belt and the fact that in this commodity large amounts have been held at the production points because of low market prices. Light "return business" was said to be another factor in bringing about the decision of the Directors.

Net earnings of the Chicago & Northwestern for the first eight months of the year slumped $3,036,931 below those for the corresponding period of 1922. The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha showed a decline of $702,210 in net earnings for the first eight months of 1923, compared with the figures for the same period of 1922.

Speaking for the Chicago & Northwestern, Vice President Lynde declared that November earnings were about the same as those for October.

"The present dividend rate of 3 per cent. on the common stock of the Chicago & Northwestern is the lowest paid since the '80s. The road had paid 5 per cent. since 1920. Before that year the dividend had fluctuated between 5 and 7 per cent., excepting in 1895, when 4 per cent. was paid. The rate of dividend on the common stock of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha had been 5 per cent. since August, 1917. It was raised in 1902 from 5 to 6 per cent., and in February, 1905, to 7 per cent.

"The action of the two roads, which had not been generally anticipated in the financial district, had an immediate effect not only upon the shares of the roads in question but upon the railroad list as a whole, particularly upon the shares of the other Northwestern railroads, operation of which had been conducted under the same conditions.

Chicago & Northwestern common declined from the day's high of 60¾ to 46⅝ and closed with a net loss of 10⅛. The preferred stock lost 1⅝. Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha common broke 11 points between sales on the announcement, while the preferred stock declined 2⅛.

Mackinnon to Address Bond Club.

Donald Mackinnon, Commissioner for Australia, will be the guest and speaker at the monthly luncheon of the Bond Club at the Bankers Club, 120 Broadway, tomorrow.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds issued in this country and in American currency values:

	Bid.	Asked.
Argentine 5s, 1945 M. & S.	83½	84
Argentine 7s, 1927 F. & A.	102	102¼
Austrian Gov. 7s, 1943 J. & D.	87½	87¾
Belgium 6s, 1925 M. & S.	96¾	97
Belgium 7½s, 1945 J. & D.	97¾	97¾
Belgium 8s, 1941 F. & A.	96½	96¾
Brazil Cent. Rys. 7s, 1952 J. & D.	78½	78½
Can. Steamship 7s, 1943 M. & N.	91	91½
City of Bergen 8s, 1945 M. & N.	106¼	109
City of Berne 8s, 1945 M. & N.	106¾	109¾
City of Bordeaux 6s, 1934 M. & N.	75¾	76
City of Gt. Prague 7½s, '52 M. & N.	77½	78
City of P. Alegre 8s, 1961 J. & D.	93½	94¾
U. S. of Brazil 8s, 1941 J. & D.	95	95¼
U. S. of Brazil 7½s, 1952 A. & O.	95¼	97
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926 A. & O.	99¾	99¾
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1929 F. & A.	100¾	101
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931 A. & O.	99¾	99¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1952 M. & N.	99	99¼
Holland-Am. Line 6s, 1947 M. & N.	78¾	78¾
Rep. of Col. 6½s, 1927 A. & O.	95	95¾
Rep. of Chile 7s, 1942 M. & N.	94¾	95
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1941 F. & A.	105¾	106
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1928 A. & O.	103¾	103
Rep. of Chile 8s, 1946 M. & N.	104	104½
Rep. of Haiti 6s, 1952 A. & O.	90	90¾
Chinese Gov. 5s, 1951 J. & D.	44	45
City of Christiania 8s, '45 A. & O.	106	107½
City of Copen. 5½s, 1944 J. & J.	87½	87¾
City of Montevideo 7s, '52 M. & N.	85¾	87
Czechoslovak Rep. 8s, '51 A. & O.	93½	93¾
Rep. of Bol. s. f. 8s, 1947 M. & N.	86½	86¾
Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1944 M. & S.	90¼	90
Rep. Cuba ext. 5s, 1949 F. & A.	91	93
Rep. Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949 F. & A.	91	92¾
Rep. of Cuba 5½s, 1953 J. & J.	90	91
Rep. of El Sal. 8s, 1948	100	100¼
Denmark 8s, 1945 J. & O.	108	108¾
Denmark 6s, 1942 J. & J.	93¾	94
Dan. Mun. 8s, Ser. A, '46 F. & A.	107½	107¾
Dan. Mun. 8s, Ser. B, '46 F. & A.	107¾	107¾
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1947 J. & J.	95¾	96
Dutch East Indies 6s, 1962 M. & S.	94¾	94¾
Dutch East Indies 5½s, '53 M. & S.	90	90¼
Essam. Ind. & Dev. 7½s, '42 J. & J.	97	97½
French Gov. 7½s, 1941 J. & D.	92½	92¾
French Gov. 8s, 1945 M. & S.	96½	96¾
Italy 6½s, 1925 F. & A.	98½	98¾
Japanese 4s, 1931 J. & J.	79¾	80¼
Japanese 4½s, 1925 F. & A.	92¾	92¾
Japanese 4½s, 2d ser., '25 J. & J.	92¾	92¾
Oriental Dev. 6s, 1953 M. & S.	86½	88¾
Jurgens U. M. W. 6s, 1947 J. & J.	75¾	79
City of Lyons 6s, 1934 M. & N.	75¾	76
City of Marseilles 6s, 1934 M. & N.	75¾	76
City of Soissons 6s, 1936 M. & N.	81½	82½
U. S. of Mexico 4s, 1954 J. & D.	27	27½
U. S. of Mexico 5s, 1945 Q. Jan.	47¼	49
Mex. Irrigation 4½s, 1943 M. & N.	30¾	33½
King. of Neth. 6s, 1972 M. & S.	96½	97
King. of Norway 8s, 1940 A. & O.	110¾	111¼
King. of Norway 6s, 1952 A. & O.	93	93½
King. of Norway 6s, 1943 F. & A.	93	93½
King. of S., C. & S. 8s, '62 M. & N.	65	65½
Paris-Lyons-Med. 6s, 1958 F. & A.	69¾	70¼
State of Queensl'd 6s, 1947 F. & A.	100¾	100¾
State of Queensl'd 7s, 1941 A. & O.	104¾	105¼
State of Rio Grande do Sul 8s, 1946 A. & O.	94	95½
Rio Janeiro 8s, 1946 A. & O.	89¼	89¾
Rio Janeiro 8s, 1947 A. & O.	89¼	89
Dom. Rep. 6s, 1958 A. & O.	99¾	100
Dom. Rep. 5½s, 1942 M. & S.	85¾	86½
State of Sao Paulo 8s, '36 J. & J.	96½	98
City of Sao Paulo 8s, '52 M. & N.	96¾	97¼
Dept. of the Seine 7s, 1942 J. & J.	82½	82¾
King. of Sweden 6s, 1939 J. & D.	103¾	104
Swiss Confed. 8s, 1940 J. & J.	111¾	112½
City of Tokio 5s M. & S.	64	65
Rep. of Uruguay 8s, 1946 A. & A.	102½	103½
City of Zurich 8s, 1945 A. & O.	106½	110½
Un. K. 5½s, 1929 F. & A.	107½	109¾
Un. K. 5½s, 1920 F. & A.	108¾	109¾
U. S. S. Copen. 6s, 1947 J. & J.	90¼	87¾

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

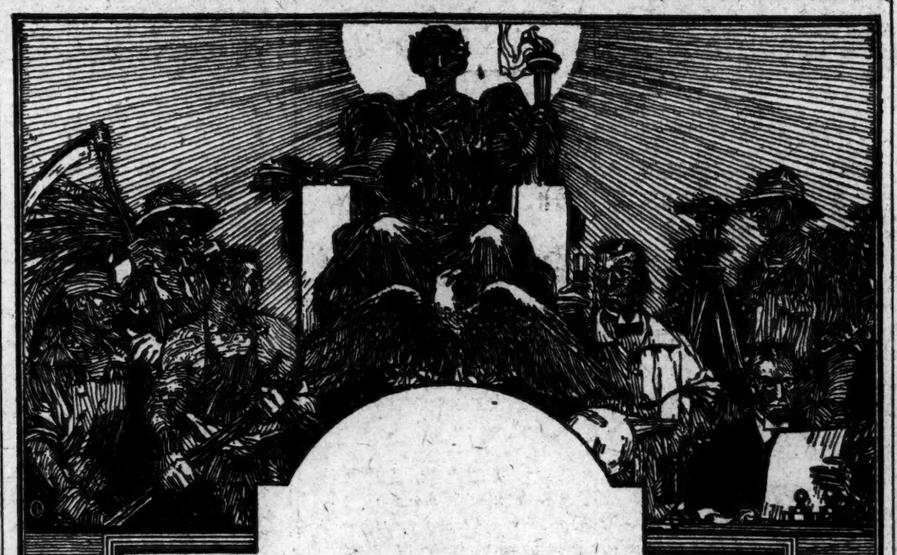
	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r. 1930	102¾	103¾
2s, c. 1930	102¾	103¾
3s, r. 1946	95	95
3s, c. 1946	93	95
4s, r. 1925	101¾	102¾
4s, c. 1925	101¾	102¾
Pan 2s, r. 1936	102½	103½
Pan 2s, r. 1938	102½	103½
Pan 3s, r. 1961	92¼	93¼
Pan 3s, c. 1961	92¾	93¼
P 4s, '24	91	95
P 4s, '25	91	95
P 4s, '26	91	95
Dist of Col 3-65s	98	100

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Ex.	74½	75
Ad Rumely	8½	9
Do pf	31	33½
Alb & Sus.	190	
Alle & W.	95	
Allis Chal.	101	
Allis-Ch M pf	90	94
Amal S 1st pf	97¼	
Am Bk N	52	54
Am B Sug pf	71¼	73½
Am C & F pf	103	107½
Am C & F pf	121	126¾
Am Chicle pf	45	55
Am Coal	65	
Am Cot Oil		94½
Am D S	5	8½
Am H & L pf	6¼	7½
Am Ice pf	30	51
Am La F pf	88¼	90
Am Lin pf	32	33
Am Le pf	117½	118
Am Metal pf	109	112
Am Roll M pf	90	99¾
Am Sm pf	93	100
Am Sil Fab pf	101¼	103¼
Am S Tob pf	49	50
Am T & C	42	45
Am Tob	147½	149½
Do pf	100	101½
Am W W & Elec	38¼	39
Do 7% pf	87	88
Do 6% pf	60	61½
Am Whl pf	99	100
Am Wt pf	101	101¼
Am Z L pf	23	25
Ann Arbor	13	16
Do pf	31	36
Art Metal	15	17
Assets R.	¼	⅝
Asso D G 1st pf	83¼	85
Do 2d pf	39	50
Atl Fruit	1	1¼
A, G & W I pf	14	15
Atl R pf	116	117
Atlas Pdr pf	85	87½
Atlas T	10	11
Auto Sales	2⅜	3¼
Do pf	11	13
Bald L pf	110	112
B & A pf	84	86½
Bar L pf	80	85
Batop M	¼	¼
Bayuk Cig 1st pf	97	99¼
Do 2d pf	108	
Beech Creek	32	40
Beaul pf	107	
Beth S	98	
pf	109	109
Booth Fish	4⅝	5
Do 1st pf	33	40
Blumenthal pf	90	93½
Brit E Stl 2d pf	11	13
B Un Gas	114½	116½
Brown Shoe pf	90	91
B, R & P	45	53
Do pf	80	90
Buff & S	125	145
Do pf	50	54
Burns Bros pf	93	97
Do pf	120	120½
Bush Ter	65	75
B T Bldg pf	68	91½
Cal Packs	80½	90¾
Cal & Hec	19½	19⅞
Cal & Ar	43	45
Can Sa	53	
C'wn H G	2¼	3
Case (J I)	16	20
Do pf	67	69
C R Mills	33	38½
Do pf	90	97½
C R I & P 1	64	
N J	215	225
C'tain-teed		38
Do 1st pf	75	
Do 2d pf	68	76
C & E Ill pf	50½	53
Chi Pn T	85½	88½

	Bid.	Asked.
Chi Gt W pf	10½	11½
C, C, C & St L	109	110
Cl & Pitts.	68½	65½
Do spec.	24	
Clu-P pf	106	104½
Coca-Cola pf	95	97½
Col F & I	23½	24
Do pf	93	105
C & S 1st pf	48¼	50
Do 2d pf	45	50
Col Carbon	45¼	46½
Con Cigar	16½	17
Do pf	60	66½
Cons Dist		¼
Cont C pf	104¼	104½
Cent Ins	92	93½
Coeden pf	86	88
Crex Carp	20	30
Cruc S pf	90	90¾
C-Am Sug pf	93	97
Cuba R R pf	74	80
D F & Lt	60	
Do pf	52	
D & Co pf	61	62
D, L & W	115	116
Det & M	200	
Do pf	35	
Det U Ry		60
Dia Match	116	
D & R 1st pf	92	
Dug Lt 1st pf	102½	103
D, S S & A	2	8¼
Do pf	2¼	5
Du P deb	86¼	87¼
Dur Hos'y		17½
Do pf		90
E Kod pf	107	
Elk H Coal pf	25	50
Em B pf	7½	8¼
End-J pf	112½	116
Erie & P	52¼	
Exch B'tet	20	23
Fam P pf	84	88
F M & S	10	11¼
Do pf	40	43½
Fid-P F	114	118
G A T Car	44	46½
Do pf	94	97½
Gen Bak'g pf	110	
Gen Cigar pf	100	106½
Gen M pf	81¾	84
Do 7% d	96	97
Gimbel Bros pf	98½	99
Goodrich	22½	22¾
G T & R pf	90	91¼
G B & W	32	85
Guan Sug pf		93
G, M & N pf	51	53
Habir F C	⅛	¾
Hack Wat pf		29
Hanna 1st pf	89	91¼
Helme		62½
Hyd S pf	2	4¾
Ill C pf	107	115
Do L ex div	70¼	75
Indian Ref	4	4¾
Ing-R pf	105½	108
Inland Stl pf		101¾
Int & G N	23	24½
Int H pf	106¼	
Int Pa pf	85	110
Int Salt	80	89¼
Int Shoe pf	115	119
Intertype C	29	29½
Iowa Cent	2	4
Iron Pr cfs	43¼	46½
Do pf	101¼	104½
Jewel Tea pf	19	19½
Do pf	73	81
Jol & Chi	110¼	
Jones-B T	108½	109
K C, P & Lt 1st pf	94	96
Kan C So pf	52	52½
Kayser (J) 1st pf	98	102
Kelly Sp T 6% pf	74	77
Do 8% pf	85	90
Kelsey Wh.	96	99
Do pf	101	104
K & D M pf	10	
Kinney pf	90	96
Kresge (S S)	290	300
Do pf	113	115
Kress (S H)	165	190
Do pf	100	
Lacl Gas	75	80
L R & A	13¾	14
Ligg & M	235	240
Do B	235	250
Do pf	116	117
L-W B 1st pf	105¼	106
Do 2d pf	101¾	105½
Lorill'd pf	115	117
McCrory pf	97	99
Mack Tr'ks 2d pf	88¼	90
M'kay Cos	101	106
Do pf	64	66
Macy pf	111¼	114½
Mah Coal	500	
Mal'ney pf	65	68
Man El M G	32¾	33
Man Elev	41	44
Man W'ch	1¼	1½
Manati Sug	58	62¾
Do pf	75	85
Manila E C	88	90
Met St Ry	10	12
Do pf	26	42
Martin R	5½	6
M Dep Stk	113	
Mich Coal	245	47
Mlw Steel	28¾	29
M, St P & S M	48	
Do pf	75	85
Do L	86½	64
Mont Pow pf	104¼	108
Mor & Es	12	17
Mull Body	13	14½
Do pf		80
Nash Mot	11	
Do Cl A	83½	85

	Bid.	Asked.
N, C & St L	117	125
Nat Bond	9	10
Nat B. pf	122½	123½
Nat C & S	56	64
Do pf	93½	95
Nat Dep G pf	94	94½
Nat En pf, ex div	87	91
Nat Rys of M 1st pf	3	6
Nat Sup pf	103½	106
N'pt N & H pf	47	50¼
Do pf	80	84
N Y Can	25	28½
Do pf	89½	91½
N Y Dock	17	18½
Do pf	35	45
N Y L & West	15½	16¾
N Y Q C & West	16½	18¾
N Y Shipb	10¼	14½
N Y S Rys pf		61
N Y Power pf	107	
Nort So	11	15
N & W pf	73½	75
Ohio B Sa	14½	15¼
Nunnally	8½	9½
O B & R	1¾	2½
Ohio F S	31	31½
Orph Circ pf	93	94½
Onyx Hos'y		33
Do pf	86¼	88
Otis El pf	97½	100
Owens Bot pf	106	114
Pac Coast	18	21
Do 1st pf	32	45
Do 2d pf	18	22
Pac Mail	9	11
P T & Tel	90	98
Do pf	92	93
Pack M C pf	92½	93
P P & R	1¼	2
Do pf	25	40
Pa Ed pf	98	100
Penney pf	103	
Pere M pf	60	60½
Phillips-J	55	58
Do pf	85	89
Ph Hos'y pf	28	30
Do pf	93	95½
P, C, C & St L pf	90	75
Pitts Coal	60¼	61¾
Do pf	97	98¾
P, Ft W & C	125	
Do pf	136	140
P & W Va pf	87	90
P R A Tob		75
Postum Cer pf	110	112½
Pr Stl Car	54	55
Do pf	82	84
P & R	46¾	47
P S, N J 7% pf	97½	99½
Do 8% pf	101	102
R R Sec, pf	96	99
Sinclair Oil pf	85¼	87½
So P R R	88	89¾
Do pf	98	102
So Ry pf	67	67¾
Spald'g 1st pf	100	
Stand Milling pf	84	98
Sterl Prod	58¾	58¾
Studeb Co pf	115	117
Sup Stl 1st pf	100	
T C R T	116¾	116¾
Do pf	82¼	100
Und C pf	117¾	
U-B & P	61	62
U Pac pf	71	71½
Us T Car pf	106¼	108
U Cig Sts	182	191
Do pf	110	113
Un Drug pf	77¼	79
Do 1st pf	46	48¼
U Dyew'd	33½	46
Do pf		93½
U S R & I	94	94½
Do pf	100	101¾
U S 1st pf	88¼	89½
U S Sm pf	40¼	41¾
U S Tob	33¾	54
Do pf	106½	108
Van Raalte	28¼	30
Do 1st pf	80	86¼
Va-Car Ch pf	4¾	5¾
Va I, C & Coke	50	56
Do pf	82¾	84
V R & P	34	38
Vulcan Det	8	12
Do A	4	
Do pf	22	72
Do pf A	40	
Weber & H	14½	14¾
W F Exp	34	37
W Elec pf	112¾	113¾
West Pa	44	45
W R & M 1st pf	73	73
W Off cfs	¾	⅞
Wor Pump pf A		70
Do pf B	60	62½
Youngstown S & T	67	69¼



ANOTHER YEAR

AT this season of the year it is well for men to pause in their progress and gaze back down the road, thus judging how far they have come before turning to the path ahead and planning the future miles.

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Balances with other British Banks	41,486,761.30
Money at Call	110,682,625.00
Bills Discounted	172,032,828

Northwestern Terminal 5s 1926
Millen & Southwestern 1st 5s 1955
Savannah & Statesboro 1st 5s 1953
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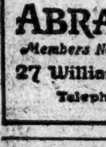

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RECOVERY IN COTTON AS PRESSURE ENDS

Both American and Liverpool Markets Respond Quickly to Improvement in Volume of Orders.

Cotton recovered nearly a cent a pound yesterday, all three markets displaying a greater degree of resistance than at any time since liquidation started. Trade interests placed heavy buying orders based on Monday's closing quotations, which imparted a steadier tone. The average guess of ninety-four Exchange members on today's Washington report, which is due at 2 o'clock, was 9,940,000 bales. During the past ten days hundreds of thousands of speculatively held contracts have been released by holders, an event of decided importance for the best interests of the trade. Not only did pressure of liquidation lessen, but contracts were in better demand throughout the session. Final prices proved highest of the day at a net advance of 80 to 97 points.

Considering the drastic liquidation and the substantial readjustment now effected between contract and spot markets, there was nothing surprising in the sharp recovery that occurred on all three Exchanges. Though Liverpool again came under pressure during the morning and prices there reached new low levels of the movement, the most violent recovery so far taking place in that quarter came before the close. A rush of buying lifted the English market nearly 100 points, January selling from 18.23d to 19.20d. Nothing even faintly resembling such wild price changes have ever occurred in the previous history of the Liverpool Cotton Exchange. Even spot cotton was reduced 109 points, from 19.13d to 18.04d. At the low figure for January that month sold 370 English points from high records of the season. From the later action of the Liverpool market and the tenor of private advices, selling pressure had lifted before the close, indicating that distress cotton had been pretty thoroughly liquidated. An attempt to buy contracts abroad by several New York spot firms found little cotton for sale, and prices advanced 10 to 15 points at a time after the local opening.

An early afternoon advance carried May 95 points from closing prices of the previous day, and the last two hours 20 to 30 point fluctuations were frequent. Several times quotations yielded under scattered selling, either liquidation or profit taking on cotton bought during the decline this week. But on each setback contracts appeared to be wanting, which closed the list at highest figures of the day.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Day.
Dec.	...33.40	34.10	33.40	34.00@34.02	33.20
Jan.	...32.75	33.45	32.69	33.43@33.45	32.45
March	...33.30	33.80	33.17	33.75@33.80	32.90
May	...33.40	34.00	33.28	33.97@34.00	33.00
July	....32.60	33.26	32.40	33.22@33.26	32.30
Oct.	....27.20	27.77	27.20	27.70	27.02

The local market for spot cotton was steady at 34.50c, 80 points advance, for middling upland.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston, 33.25c, 75 points advance; New Orleans, 33.38c, 38 points advance; Savannah, 32.86c, 89 points advance; Augusta, 33c, 75 points advance; Memphis, 33.75c, unchanged; Houston, 33.15c, 85 points advance; Little Rock, 33.50c, 25 points advance.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yester-day.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Port receipts....	56,418	61,066	32,604
Exports	6,500	27,973	36,980
Exports, season.	2,724,522	2,006,194	2,496,463
N. Y. stocks.....	115,111	88,342	69,150
Ports stocks....	1,067,010	964,132	1,103,122
N. Y. arrivals..	6,638	5,153	2,006

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton was dull, 109 points decline, at 18.04d for middling. Sales 4,000 bales, of which American 2,000; imports 23,000, American 6,000. Futures opened steady, 38 points advance to 14 points and closed steady, 9 to 12 points advance. Prices: December 19.12d, January 19.12d, March 19.10d, May 18.99d, July 18.54d.

Manchester—Yarns and cloths were more in demand.

Liverpool Not to Close Dec. 24.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11.—The Cotton Exchange here will not close on Dec. 24, as previously announced; the statement cabled yesterday was erroneous.

TO SELL WARD BAKING CO.

United Corporation Expected to Take It Over by First of Year.

The United Bakeries Corporation of 512 Fifth Avenue, which operates plants in several cities, is negotiating for the Ward Baking Company, according to a letter sent to employes of the latter by George S. Ward, President. W. B. Ward, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the United Bakeries Corporation, is a nephew of George S. Ward.

It is expected that the deal will be consummated within a few weeks and the property of the Ward company transferred to the United by the close of the year. It is understood that the United will issue either stock or bonds in payment for the property, and that little cash will be involved.

Assets of the Ward Baking Company are approximately $35,000,000. The company has outstanding about $18,000,000 in capital stock, most of which is owned by the Ward family.

To Increase Cottan Acreage.

Cotton planters are planning to increase acreage next year from 10 to 15 per cent., according to John J. Watson Jr., President of the International Agricultural Corporation, who has returned from a trip to Atlanta. Mr. Watson said that some growers contemplated the adoption of more intensive agricultural methods, which, combined with the increased acreage, will materially augment the next cotton crop.

Wrigley Stock All Sold.

Hornblower & Weeks, as managers of the syndicate which recently offered 300,000 shares of the capital stock of the William Wrigley Jr. Company, yesterday announced that the syndicate had been dissolved as all of the stock has been disposed of. Under the original agreement the syndicate was to have run for another month.

Long-Bell Lumber Co. Earnings.

Net earnings of $3,004,284, after depreciation, taxes, interest and depletion, are reported by the Long-Bell Lumber Company for the nine months ended Sept. 30, 1923. Net sales for the ten months ended Oct. 31 were $34,410,415, compared with $27,901,085 in 1922.

American Cotton Oil Deposits.

Time for deposit of stock of the American Cotton Oil Company in exchange for common stock of the newly formed Gold Dust Corporation expired Dec. 10, and the committee reports that approximately 90 per cent. of this stock was so deposited.

United Light and Railways Gains.

An increase of $615,525 in net earnings is reported by the United Light and Railways Company for the year ended Oct. 31, compared with the previous year. Gross earnings were $12,541 613, a gain of $992,053. Balance available for the common stock showed an increase of $284,873.

Railway Bonds Oversubscribed.

Subscription books for the Chicago, Terre Haute & Southeastern Railway Company first and refunding 5 per cent. bonds have been closed, with a heavy oversubscription, J. A. Sisto & Co. and Harper & Turner announced yesterday.

Liner Brings $2,700,000 in Gold.

The White Star liner Majestic arrived yesterday with forty boxes of gold valued at $1,400,000, consigned to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and thirty-seven boxes of gold valued at $1,300,000, consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co.

LONG ISLAND RAILWAY CITES BIG TAX BILL

Increased 650 Per Cent. in 20 Years, Bulletin Says—$93,888 a Year for Highways.

The annual tax bill of the Long Island Railroad has increased 650 per cent. in the last twenty years, according to a recent information bulletin of that railroad. From the payment of $239,000 in 1903, the taxes levied upon the Long Island have risen annually until they amounted to $1,795,860 in 1922, or 22.3 per cent. of the net revenue from railway operations. Particular attention is called by the railroad to the item of $93,888 which it is called upon to pay annually as highway taxes.

"This does not refer to the road's right of way," the bulletin says. "It means the public highway, which is being torn up continually by heavy motor trucks that are competing with the railroad as carriers of freight, and pay only a nominal annual license fee to the State toward the upkeep of the highways."

Of the $1,795,860 which the Long Island Railroad Company was required to pay in taxes, the sum of $1,329,671 was distributed among the various departments of the State and local governments, including a substantial sum to the schools. An analysis of this expenditure shows a division of the tax as follows:

School tax	$472,449.35
Health tax	281,666.83
Police tax	208,794.46
Highway tax	93,888.24
Fire tax	85,983.67
State tax	82,651.92
County tax	46,663.31
Village tax	16,262.29
Town tax	11,481.45
Light tax	3,866.71
Water tax	1,582.91
Sewer and park taxes	454.06
City tax collected by cities for other purposes than already enumerated	194,422.40
Total	$1,329,671.93

Lexington Co.'s Earnings Larger.

The Lexington Utilities Company and the Lexington Ice Company reported net earnings for October of $42,426, compared with $33,856 in the same month of last year.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 11.—Ninety-four new corporations, with an aggregate capitalization of $3,878,600, were chartered today. They include:

Surplus Sales Corp., Bronx, radio and auto accessories, $20,000; B. S. Nathanson, H. Keitz. (Attorney, R. S. Mullen, 149th St. and 3d Av., Bronx.)

Ran S. Johnson, Newburgh, autos, $10,000; R. S. and M. S. Johnson, E. M. Scott. (Attorney, D. C. Dominick, Newburgh.)

Midas Mortgage Co., Manhattan, $5,000; M. Florin, J. Weingart, L. Meyer. (Attorney, I. B. Schelber, 51 Chambers St.)

E. & K. Trunk Co., Manhattan, $5,000; S. D. Eilenberger, H. Klein, K. Newman. (Attorney, M. M. Schenker, 305 Broadway.)

Bertha Randell, Manhattan, beauty parlor, $20,000; A. and B. Randell, F. Virag. (Attorney, C. A. Schneider, 51 Chambers St.)

Wilson Garage, Brightcliff Manor, $20,000; C. H. and J. H. Whitson. (Attorney, J. A. Greene, Ossining.)

Berthel Realty Co., Manhattan, $30,000; R. Eilen, S. and P. Asbell. (Attorneys, Koppelman & Weinberg, 144 Rivington St.)

Republic Furniture Co., Brooklyn, $10,000; J. Feit, M. Lachterman, B. Fingaroot. (Attorney, L. Fischer, 1,709 Pitkin Av., Brooklyn.)

Weltman & Klinghoffer, Manhattan, make women's wear, $5,000; J. Weltman, J. Klinghoffer, E. Levine. (Attorneys, Fischer & Mose, 291 Broadway.)

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Gallo & Ackerman, Manhattan, law printing, $10,000; N. Gallo, D. Ackerman, M. G. Buchdahl. (Attorneys, Buchdahl & Males, 276 5th Av.)

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Wilmack Dress Co., Manhattan, $20,000; M. Rothelm, M. Mordkowitz, A. Muhlberg. (Attorney, M. J. Junger, 799 Broadway.)

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McGrail & Schafer, Manhattan, dairy products, $10,000; F. A. McGrail, W. J. Schaefer. C. Rattray. (Attorneys, Johnston & Messler, 256 Broadway.)

Reiser Building and Construction Co., Brooklyn, $5,000; M. Reiser, W. Levy, N. Gapin. (Attorney, W. Rappel, 502 Rockaway Av., Brooklyn.)

Armstrong Furniture Co., Manhattan, 1500 shares Class A, preferred stock, $100 each; 5,000 Class C, preferred stock, $10 each; 500 common, no par value; L. Blumenthal, W. Davis, J. Aberfeld. (Attorney, B. E. Siegelstein, 99 Nassau St.)

Spruce Trucking Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; B. Samuelson, C. Germain, C. Sciaraba. (Attorney, H. I. Stein, 80 Maiden Lane.)

Howard Garage Corp., Manhattan, 100 shares common stock, no par value; T. E. McEntegart, G. J. Langley, P. Kaiser Jr., 119 West 40th St. (Attorney, not given.)

Berult Hyans Corp., New Rochelle, autos and sports apparel, $10,000; T. R. Bernitt, E. M. Hyans, J. P. Brown. (Attorney, Dunlap & Dunlap, New Rochelle.)

Gallo & Ackerman, Manhattan, law printing, $10,000; N. Gallo, D. Ackerman, M. G. Buchdahl. (Attorneys, Buchdahl & Males, 276 5th Av.)

Alleum Corp., Manhattan, garage, $20,000; A. and S. Goldberg, H. Goldstein. (Attorneys, Katz & Rosen, 1,767 Broadway.)

New York and London Trading Corp., Manhattan, coal and iron, 600 shares common stock, no par value; T. H. Cooper, W. A. Knight, C. F. Schroetter. (Attorneys, Foley & Martin, 64 Wall St.)

Bus Auto Supply Co., Brooklyn, accessories, $10,000; M. L. Nathanson, J. L. Schneider, J. Seilinger. (Attorney, A. Obeler, 44 Court St.,

EXPECT RAILROADS TO PROSPER IN 1924

Executives Look for Benefits Accruing From 1923 Improvement Program.

OPERATING COSTS REDUCED

Economies Effected Since Summer of 1920 Are Estimated at $109,000,000 a Month.

Despite the fact that a few railroad executives are in doubt concerning the meaning of certain passages in the recent message of President Coolidge, the message has, in the opinion of some in railroad and financial circles, done much to clear up the railroad situation for 1924. Many of these executives predict that the coming year will be as prosperous for the railroads as that just closing.

Among the reason for such a condition the one most prominently advanced is that of maintenance in 1923. The program for putting the railroads, especially equipment, in the best condition possible has been fulfilled, it is explained. There are two reasons for this, it is pointed out. The first is that the executives set themselves to the task as one of the answers to the question of whether the railroads were efficiently managed. They wanted to win back the confidence of the public and to demonstrate before the present session of Congress that the roads could handle all business coming their way without difficulty providing they were "let alone."

The other reason that made possible this program of maintenance was the unusual volume of traffic. The recent estimate by experts that the total car loadings for the year would be in excess of 50,000,000 did not greatly exceed the mark. The result of the traffic was a great increase in revenue, and this in turn encouraged expenditures. With money available the executives were able to make the improvements planned, Standard Statistics estimates maintenance costs for 1923 at $300,000,000.

Railroad experts believe this expenditure will result in economies later. They say the repairs to rolling stock and to rights of way will bring about savings in 1924. Railroad men believe that during the first six months of 1924 business will equal that of the first half of this year. At all events, they feel certain it will be sufficient to sustain the improved average earning power of 1923.

According to Railway Age, the roads have reduced their operating expenses by about $109,000,000 a month since the Summer of 1920. Of this amount, about $51,500,000 resulted from decreases in the number of employes and other economies, and the remaining $57,500,000 through general wage reductions.

Commenting on a survey of the railroad situation, Standard Statistics says: "While about two-thirds of the roads disclose a higher indicated return at the end of ten months than at the end of three months, nevertheless the prices of the stocks of about the same percentage showed a decline during the period from March to December. Thus, the trend of railroad stock has, in the main, contradicted the trend of the earnings."

Discussing the proposed reorganization of freight rates, the publication says:

"The overwhelming consensus of competent authorities is that a general rate reduction is neither desirable nor necessary at this time, even from the point of view of organizations that are clamoring for reductions. What is needed is rather a re-alignment of rates to remove existing inequalities as between sections, commodities and industries, as well as inequalities in the earning power of the several railroad districts and regions."

OFFERS RAILROAD REMEDY.

F. J. Lisman Suggests Strong Roads Guarantee Bonds of Weak Ones.

Consolidating weak lines of one section of the country with the strong lines of another was advocated yesterday by F. J. Lisman, railroad banker, as the solution of the railroad problem. Commenting on President Coolidge's message, Mr. Lisman said that railroads of New England might be relieved of their present financial difficulties if their bonds were guaranteed by other roads.

"The big problem of consolidation," he said, "is not how to provide for some of the smaller weak companies, but how to take care of the larger weak companies. If the definition of weak companies is 'companies in poor credit,' then outstanding large companies of that kind are the two New England roads, the Seaboard, the Erie and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul."

PLAN TO SELECT SETTLERS.

Canadian National Railways Seek Abler Immigrants.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—A definite policy of selective immigration and colonization was decided upon by the Department of Immigration and Colonization of the Canadian National Railways as a result of conferences held last week, W. R. Robb, Vice President of the railways, announced today.

An organization will be developed for the careful selection of settlers according to their adaptability, and for the protection of their interests once they are colonized. The Soldier Settlement Field Service of the Federal Government will take part.

Plans also have been made to interest the youth of Great Britain in the colonization idea, with the purpose of attracting boys and girls from 15 to 18 years of age to comfortable homes in the rural sections of the Dominion.

Nobel Prizes Presented in Sweden.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 11.—Formal presentation of the Nobel Prize awards was made yesterday in the presence of the King. the Cabinet Ministers, the foreign diplomats and representatives of scientific organizations. Four recipients, including William Butler Yeats, winner of the literature prize, took their awards in person. The American Minister, Robert W. Bliss, received the physics prize in behalf of Professor Andrews Millikan, while the British Minister represented Dr. F. G. Banting and Dr. J. R. MacLeod of Toronto, joint winners of the prize for medicine.

Our Polar Plans Please Amundsen.

CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 11.—Laurits S. Swenson, the American Minister, has received a telegram from Captain Roald Amundsen, in which the explorer congratulates the American navy on its decision to explore the North Pole quadrant. "It pleases me highly," the message said, "to learn that President Coolidge had emphasized the necessity of such exploration. It is up to the American nation to carry out this work as nobody is better qualified to do so."

Bank Elects Trustees.

Henry Parish and L. F. Kleeswetter, Vice Presidents of the Bank of New York and Trust Company, yesterday were elected trustees to fill vacancies existing on the Board of Trustees. They were formerly members of the board of the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, but when the two institutions merged they resigned to facilitate the

COMMODITY PRICES.

Some Cash Grains and Staples Decline—Spot Cotton Makes Slight Gain.

Wheat and corn in the cash grains, flour and eggs in the staples, sustained slight losses in yesterday's wholesale markets. Spot cotton, on the other hand, recovered 80 points to $4.50 cents, the first price rebound since last Friday. Provisions and metals ruled steady and without variation.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Tuesday, a week before and a year ago:

FOODSTUFFS—	Dec.11.	Dec.4.	Dec.12.
Wheat, No. 2 red	1.02½	1.02½	1923. 1922.
Corn, No. 2 yellow	$1.22½	$1.23¼	$1.40
Oats, No. 2 white	.01⅞	.02⅝	.01
Flour, Minn., patent	.54¼	.54	.51
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	8.15	8.20	7.80
Sugar, granulated	.11	.11¼	.11¼
Butter, creamery, 92 score	.64¼@.65	.65¼	.67½
Eggs, fresh-gathered firsts, per dozen	.46	@.50	.57
Lard, Mid. W.	12.25@13.35	13.00	.55
Pork, mess	25.50@25.75	25.75	11.40
Beef, family	$1.00@23.00	23.00	28.50
RENTALS—			18.00
Iron, Phila.	24.25@24.50	23.50	29.50
Steel billets, Pitts.	40.00	40.00	40.00
Lead	7.35	7.25	7.35
Copper	13.00	13.00	14.00
Tin	46.37½	47.00	57.25
TEXTILES—			
Cotton, mid. upland	34.59	30.65	25.30
Printcloths	.08¼	.08⅛	.07⅛

Range of prices year to date:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
Wheat	$1.54	Feb. 15	$1.12⅝	Aug. 8
Corn	1.32¾	Oct. 16	.88	Jan. 2
Oats	.57½	Feb. 15	.42¼	July 13
Flour	7.00	Jan. 2	6.90	July 24
Coffee	.13⅜	Feb. 15	.10¼	Aug. 30
Sugar	.10¾	Apr. 25	.06	Jan. 27
Butter	.55	Dec. 7	.37¾	July 2
Eggs	.60	Nov. 12	.22½	June 22
Lard	14.85	Nov. 15	10.95	July 28
Pork	28.50	Jan. 2	24.50	Aug. 7
Beef	23.00	Dec. 4	16.00	Aug. 7
Iron	33.75	Apr. 7	22.50	Nov. 2
Steel	45.00	Mar. 16	36.50	Jan. 2
Lead	8.75	Mar. 19	6.00	July 10
Copper	17.25	Mar. 19	12.50	Oct. 24
Tin	50.50	Mar. 15	37.37½	July 2
Cotton	37.95	Dec. 1	22.45	July 22
Printcloths	.08¼	Mar. 3	.06⅝	July 31

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts (Dec. 10), 7,488 packages. Not much change in values. Creamery, higher than extras, pound, 55½@56c; extras, 92 score; 54@55c; firsts, 47½@54c; seconds, 44@47c; lower grades unchanged. Factory, higher; extras, 90 score, 50c; 89 score, 48@48½c; 88 score, 47½c; 86 to 87 score, 44½@47c; unsalted, higher than extras, 57¼@58c; extras, 92 score, 56@56c; firsts, 46¾@56c; seconds, steady on cheaper. Fresh gathered, extra fancy, 46@50c; extra firsts, 51@54c; firsts, 44@46c; lower grades unchanged. Packing stock, firsts, 30c; seconds, 29c; thirds, 28c; fourths, 26c; fifths, 25c; sixths, 24c; centrifuged poorer, 25@30c; checks, fair to choice, 23@25c; storage packed, firsts to extras, 31c; seconds and poorer, 24@28c; refrigerator firsts, storage packed, to expiring dates, 29@30c; refrigerator, Pacific Coast, 32@40c; refrigerator whites, nearby various lots, 31@36c; refrigerator whites, Western, 30@35c; refrigerator checks, from local cars, 25@28c; processed whites, refrigerator, nearby, 37@43c; processed whites, refrigerator, Pacific Coast, 41c; processed colors, refrigerator, W. storage, 32@35c; New Jersey, hennery whites, closely selected closely selected, extras, 66@67c; nearby and Western hennery whites, average extras, 59@65c; firsts to extras, firsts, 57@62c; nearby gathered whites, firsts to extras, firsts, 57@61c; nearby whites, under grades, 50@56c; mediums, 40 to 41 pounds net, 55@56c; Jersey whites, pullets, No. 1, 54@57c; other nearby whites, pullets, No. 2, 50@55c; Pacific Coast, firsts to extras, 57@62c; under grades, 49@56c; mediums, 54@57c; pullets, 46@55c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 48@54c; New Jersey, hennery browns, extra fancy, light yolk, 66@68c; other nearby and Western hennery browns, extras, 61@63c.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Guaranty Trust Company has been appointed trustee and corying agent and co-registrar, with the Harris Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago, under the Northern States Power Company Trust Agreement, dated Nov. 1, 1923, securities authorized issue of $10,000,000 par value convertible 6½ per cent. gold notes, due Nov. 1, 1933.

The Equitable Trust Company of New York has been appointed Registrar of the common stock of the Electric Truck Transportation Corporation.

The New York Trust Company has been appointed registrar of American Thermos Bottle Company 30,000 shares preferred stock of no par value and 90,000 shares common stock of no par value.

Rowe Tyssen, formerly of Callaway, Fish & Co. is now with Lage & Co.

W. C. Langley & Co. have prepared for distribution to investors, the ninth edition of "Income Tax at a Glance."

Kenneth Macbeth has joined the sales organization of A. M. Lamport & Co.

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Per riod.	Pay-able.	Hlds. of Record.
Alabama Power pf.	$1.75	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Am. Brake Shoe	1.25	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 21
Am. Brake Shoe pr.	1¾	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 21
Am. Milling	.50	Stk Dec. 20	Dec. 20
Am. Public Utilities pf.	1¾	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Am. Public Utilities 6% pf.	1½	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Am. Roll. Mills pf.	1¾	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Am. Trust Co.	1½	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 13
Am. Wholesale pf.	1¾	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 30
Borg & Beck	1¾	Q Jan. 1	Dec. 20
Burns Bros. pf.	1¾	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Burns Bros. pr. pf.	1.75	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 21
Canadian Loco.	1	Q Feb. 1	Jan. 18
Canadian Loco. pf.	1¾	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Chi. & N. W.	2	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Chi. & N. W. pf.	3½	QA Jan. 15	Dec. 21
Chi., St. P. M. & Omaha pf.	3½	SA Jan. 15	Dec. 21
First National	5	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 31
First National pf.	20	Ex Jan. 2	Dec. 31
First National Sec.	5	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 31
Howe Sound	5c.	Q Jan. 15	Jan. 2
Kanawha & Hocking C. C. pf.	3½	QA Jan. 1	Dec. 15
Manila Electric	$2.00	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Merrimac Chem.	1.25	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 21
Metro. Edison pf.	1¾	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 15
Mex. Petroleum	4	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Mex. Petroleum pf.	$2.00	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 31
Nat. Supply pf.	1.75	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 21
National Tea	2	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 15
N. Y. State Rys pf.	$1.25	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 21
Ottawa L., H. & P.	1½	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 21
Penna. Edison pf.	$2.00	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 20
Pan-Am. Pet. & Tr. com. and com. B	2.00	Q Jan. 21	Dec. 31
Puget Sd. P. & Lt. pf	1.00	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Puget Sd. P. & Lt. 1st pf	1.50	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Puget Sd. P. & Lt. prior pf	1.75	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Rickenbacker Motor	1.50	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
Spicer Mfg. pf.	$2.00	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 31
United Fruit	2½	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 19
United Fruit	$2.00	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 19
United Fruit	2.50	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 20
United Fruit	2.50	Q Apr. 1	Mar. 6
United Fruit	2.50	Q July 2	June 6
United Fruit	2.50	Q Oct. 1	Sep. 6
Utah Pwr & Lt pf.	1¾	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 6
Wagner Mal. Cast. Class A	62½c	Jan. 1	Dec. 12
West. Pac. pf.	$1.50	Jan. 1	Dec. 14
West Union Tel.	1¾	Q Jan. 15	Dec. 2
Bank of N. Y. & T.	3	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 31
Do	1½	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Do pf.	1½	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Canfield Oil	1	Ex Jan. 2	Dec. 31
Do pf.	1½	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Cleve. Wors. Mills	$1.00	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Macy (R.H.) Co. pf.	1¾	Q Dec. 31	Dec. 15
Mahoning Coal	1½	Q Feb. 1	Jan. 12
Do pf.	1¾	Q Dec. 28	Dec. 21
Massawippi Valley	$1.25	SA Jan. 2	Dec. 21
Standard Coup. pf.	$2.00	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 21
Title Guar. & Trust	2	Q Jan. 2	Dec. 19
Do	2	Ex Jan. 2	Dec. 19

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

COMSTOCK.

Best & Belcher	.03	Extension	.35
Choller	.04	Hamill	.03
Concordia	.03	Hale & Norcross	.02
Con. Virginia	.02	Marne	.02
Gould & Curry	.03	Mayflower	.02
Hale & Norcross	.09	Silver King	.02
Justice	.10	Sutherland	.05
Mexican	.15	Wedge	.02
Ophir	.34	Zone	.04
Overman	.04	GOLDFIELD.	
Savage	.07	Booth	.02
Union	.07	Consolidated Development	.02
TONOPAH.		Florence	.05
Belmont	.85	Jumbo Extension	.45
Cash Boy	.04	Silver Pick	.03
Halifax	.01	Speculator	.03
New California	.16	Lone Star	.03
North Star	.08	Red Top	.01
Rescue	.02	Simon Pure	.04
Tonopah Belmont	.85	Stonehead	.03
Tonopah Extension	1.75	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
Tonopah Mining	.09	Boundary Mtn.	.06
West End	.65	Manhattan Consol.	.06
DIVIDE.		Mineral Mtn.	.02
Aladdin	.03	Round Mountain	1.38
Annex	.04	Fairview Mtn.	.21
Best Friend	.03	Sunset	.16
Divide Extension	.04	White Caps	.04
Divide Tonopah	.03		.04

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	.2¾	.3⅛	Mary Mck.	.1⅛	.2¼
Elkton	.005	.1⅛	Portland	.65	.66
El Paso	.1	.02	U. Gold M.	.12¼	.15¼
Empire Lee	.2¾	.4	Vindicator	.5	.6
Golden Cycle	.106⅞	.107¼	Rose Nicol	.1⅛	.2
Granite	.6	.8			

LIQUIDATION IN CORN AFFECTS WHEAT ALSO

Bearish Market Is Hit, Too, by Break in Local Stocks and News of Russian Cargo.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—An outstanding feature of the day's trading was the lack of rallying power shown after values had dropped ⅝@1¼ cents from the early top, largely in sympathy with corn, with the finish ⅝@⅞ cent lower.

The main selling of wheat was on the break of 10½ points in Chicago & Northwestern stock and the arrival of a cargo of Russian wheat at Hull, England, the first since before the war, with more en route. This caught the trade here in a bearish mood where all constructive influences were lost sight of.

Minneapolis was weak and closed 1¼ cents lower, while Winnipeg lost ½ to ⅝ cent.

Stocks continue to pile up, with an increase in Bradstreet's world's supply of 1,422,000 bushels for the week to 25,000,000 bushels, against 192,000,000 bushels last year. Cash wheat in Winnipeg, which a few days ago was 3 cents over December, sold at December price and small deliveries were made there, while at Chicago 41,000 bushels were delivered.

Charters at Chicago were for 100,000 bushels to Buffalo for milling.

In the Canadian Northwest the movement from farms and from Lake Superior points is heavy, as the season is nearly over and mild weather enables boats to operate with little or no trouble. Two cargoes of Canadian wheat with an aggregate of 251,000 bushels have arrived at Duluth.

Primary arrivals of wheat today were 793,000 bushels; week ago, 1,535,000; year ago, 1,421,000, and shipments, 370,000 bushels; week ago, 1,418,000; last year, 565,000.

Liquidation was on in December corn, with commission houses selling the December and buying May at 1½@1¾ cents difference, and cash houses were on the selling side of the near-by futures, hedging against purchases in the sample market. Cash values are gradually getting down to a delivery basis, with No. 2 mixed ⅞ cent over December at the last and sales of 50,000 bushels made to go to store. Elevator interests are now taking hold of the cash market. Closing trades were ⅝@⅞ cents lower, the latter on December.

Oats were unchanged to 1¼ cent lower and rye off ¼@¾, with some liquidation in the latter grain.

Corn receipts were: 1,530,000 bushels; week ago, 1,352,000; last year, 1,396,000, and shipments, 901,000 bushels; week ago, 772,000; last year, 778,000.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Year.
Dec.	1.03⅜	$1.03	$1.03¼	$1.03¾	$1.19
May	1.06⅝	1.06⅛	1.06⅜	1.06⅞	1.14⅝
July	1.07⅜	1.06⅝	1.06⅝	1.07¼	1.12⅜

CORN.

Dec.	.73¼	.72	.72	.73½	.73⅝
May	.74¼	.73⅜	.73⅝	.74⅜	.75⅜
July	.75⅜	.74⅛	.74⅜	.75⅛	.76⅛

OATS.

Dec.	.42⅜	.42¼	.42¼	.42⅜	.44⅜
May	.46	.45⅝	.45⅝	.45⅞	.44⅛
July	.43⅞	.43⅜	.43⅜	.43⅝	.42⅝

RYE.

Dec.	.67⅜	.67¼	.67¼	.67⅝	.83⅜
May	.74⅛	.73⅝	.73⅝	.74⅛	.81¼
July	.74⅛	.73⅝	.73⅝	.74⅛	.81¼

PROVISIONS.

Lard—					
Jan.	12.22@12.25	12.22	12.27	12.22	
March	12.32	11.22	12.30	12.17	...
May	12.35	12.25	12.32	12.22	12.05
Ribs—					
Jan	9.87	9.85	9.87	...	...

Film Concern to Increase Capital.

The Associated First National Pictures, Inc., has filed an application for permission to increase its authorized capital stock from $6,000,000 to $11,600,000.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

(Quoted on a percentage basis.)

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Atlantic Coast L.	1924-38	6	5.65	5.35
Do	1924-36	6½	5.50	5.30
Balt. & Ohio	1924-38	4½,5	5.50	5.30
Do	1924-35	6	5.50	5.30
Bethlehem Steel	1924-30	7	5.75	5.50
Boston & Albany	1923-27	4½	6.75	6.00
B., R. & P.	1923-38	4½,5,6	5.50	5.30
Canadian Nor.	1923-39	6	5.50	5.25
Canadian Pacific	1923-32	4	5.85	5.50
C. R. R. of N. J.	1924-23	6	5.50	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.55	5.15
Cen. of Georgia	1924-38	5	5.60	5.30
Chesapeake & O.	1923-33	5	5.60	5.25
Do	1924-39	5,5½,6½	5.55	5.35
Chi., Bur. & Q.	1924-35	4	5.75	5.45
Chi., Mil. & St.P.	1924-38	5½	5.50	5.30
Do	1924-39	6	6.25	5.90
Chi. & Northw'n.	1921-37	6	6.30	5.90
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.40
Chi., R. I. & P.	1922-38	4½,5	5.50	5.25
Do	1923-38	4½,5	5.70	5.45
C., St. P., M. & O.	1924-39	6	5.87	5.50
C., C. & St. L.	1924-29	5	5.60	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.70	5.25
Col. & Southern	1924-35	6	5.70	5.45
Del. & Hudson	1924-35	6	5.75	5.45
Erie Railroad	1924-35	6	5.65	5.35
Fruit Grow. Ex.	1924-38	4½,5,5½,6	6.20	5.87
Gt. Northern Ry	1924-38	5,5½	5.70	5.35
Do	1924-35	6	5.45	5.25
Hocking Valley	1924-35	5	5.65	5.40
Do	1924-35	6	5.60	5.35
Illinois Central	1923-38	4	5.85	5.50
Do	1923-38	4½,5,5½	5.50	5.30
Do	1923-38	6	5.50	5.30
Do	1924-38	4½,5	5.55	5.35
Kansas City So	1924-35	6	5.65	5.35
Do	1924-35	6	5.63	5.35
Long Island	1924-38	4½,5	5.70	5.40
Louisv. & Nash.	1924-38	4½,5,6	5.50	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.35
Michigan Central	1923-32	5,6	5.85	5.50
Do	1924-35	6	5.79	5.40
M., St. P. & S.S.M.	1924-38	4½,5	5.75	5.40
Do	1924-35	6	5.85	5.45
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1924-35	6	6.10	5.65
Missouri Pacific	1924-38	5	6.15	5.75
Do	1924-38	6	6.10	5.65
Nat. Steel Car L.	1923-28	6	5.65	5.40
N. Y. Central	1923-33	4½,5	5.65	5.40
Do	1924-35	6	5.65	5.40
N. Y., C. & St. L.	1924-38	4½,5	5.55	5.35
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1923-35	4½,5,6,7	5.55	5.35
Norfolk & W.	1923-32	4½,5,6	5.55	5.35
Northern Pacific	1924-38	4½,5	5.55	5.35
Pac. Fruit Ex.	1925-35	6	5.50	5.25
Penna. R. R.	1924-38	5	5.50	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.60	5.35
Pere Marquette	1923-38	4½,5	5.60	5.35
Pitts. & L. E.	1923-35	6	5.60	5.35
Reading Co.	1923-32	4½,5	5.55	5.35
Seab'rd Air Line	1924-37	4½,5,6	5.55	5.35
So. Pacific	1924-38	4½,5,5½,6	5.45	5.25
Do	1924-35	6	5.40	5.25
Do	1924-35	7	5.60	5.35
Southern Railway	1923-38	4½,5,6	5.50	5.30
Do	1924-38	4½,5,5½	5.55	5.35
St. L.-San Fran.	1923-36	6	5.75	5.50
Do	1924-35	6	5.75	5.45
St. L. S. W.	1923-38	4½,5	5.90	5.50
Union Pacific	1924-38	4½,5,5½	5.75	5.50
Virginian Ry.	1924-38	5,7	5.45	5.20
Do	1924-35	6	5.70	5.35
Wabash Railroad	1924-35	6	6.35	5.90
West. Maryland	1924-37	5,6,7	6.10	5.75
Western Pacific	1924-37	5,6	6.35	5.90
Wheeling & L.E.	1924-27	5	6.10	5.75
Do	1924-35	6	6.10	5.70
Do	1924-35	6	6.20	5.75

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS.

			Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack P. & L.	6s, 1950		98	99½
American Power & Light	6s	1939	91½	92½
American Gas & Electric	6s, 2014		93½	94½
Appalachian Power 1st	5s, 1941		89	90
Cities Service deb. C			108	108½
Cities Service deb. D			88	88½
Cities Service deb. E			88	88½
Columbus Elec. & Power	5s, 1947		99	99½
Colorado Power 1st	5s, 1963		85	86
Connecticut Power	5s, 1963		85	86
Cons. Cities Lt. E. & P.	5s, 1962		68	70
East Texas Electric	7s, 1942		86	87
El Paso Electric	5s, 1963		92	93
Galveston-Houston	5s, 1934		90	91
General Gas & Electric	7s, 1952		95	100
Houston Electric	7s, 1923		97½	100
Lehigh Power Sec.	1927		94½	95½
Mississippi River Power	5s, 1951		94½	95½
Mississippi River Power	7s, 1935		106½	107
N. News & Hp. Ry. G. & E.	5s, 1948		74	77
Northern States Power	6s, 1926		100¼	101
Northern Texas Elec.	5s, 1940		80	84
Penn. Public Service	6s, 1929		97	98
Penn. Public Service	6½s, 1933		94	95
Puget Sound P. & L.	7s, 1947		97½	98
Savannah Elec. & P.	7½s, 1941		104	105¼
Seattle Electric	5s, 1929		102	103
Standard Gas & Electric	6s, 1935		83	86
Standard Gas & Electric	6s, 1926		96½	96¾
Tampa Electric	5s, 1933		91½	93½
Utah Light & Traction	5s, 1944		103½	106
Western States G. & E.	5s, 1941		80	90

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

	Yester-day. Bid.	Asked.	Mon-day. Bid.
4½s, December, 1971	104	104⅛	104
4½s, July, 1967	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, June, 1965	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, March, 1963	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, May, 1957	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, November, 1957	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, April, 1973	103⅝	104⅛	103⅝
4½s, April, 1966	100	100⅛	100
4½s, March, 1962	100	100⅛	100
4½s, March, 1964	100	100⅛	100
4½s, September, 1967	100	100⅛	100
4½s, March, 1960-30	100	100⅛	100
4s, May, 1959	99⅝	100⅛	99⅝
4s, November, 1958	99⅝	99⅞	99⅝
4s, May, 1957	99⅝	99⅞	99⅝
4s, November, 1955	99⅝	99⅞	99⅝
4s, May, 1954	99⅝	99⅞	99⅝
4s, November, 1956	98⅞	99⅛	98⅞
4s, November, 1954	98⅞	99⅛	98⅞

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

3½s, 1940-1949	4.35	4.20	4.35
3½s, November, 1954	4.50	4.30	4.50
3½s, 1924-1930	4.50	4.25	4.50
4½s, 1924-1931			

NEW YORK BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
America	213	218	Fifth Nat.	235	245
Amer. Exch.	285	290	Fifth Av.	1200	
Bank of U. S.	165	175	First Nat.	1200	
Bowery			Garfield	270	280
Bryant Park	160	170	Gotham	156	164
Bway Cent.	135		Greenwich	280	
Bronx Boro.	175		Hanover	705	
Bronx Nat.	120		Harriman	320	330
Butchers & D.	135	145	Manhat. Co.	151	155
Capitol Nat.	125	130	Mech. & Met.	378	384
Cent. Mere.	215	230	Mutual	320	330
Chase	348	357	Nat. Amer.	130	135
Chatham & P.	253	258	New Neth.	155	165
Chelsea	50	65	Pacific	300	
Chemical	536	542	Park	420	425
City	348	348	Port Morris	167	
Coal & Iron	210	215	Public	325	
Colonial	375		Seaboard	373	
Commerce	305	310	Seventh Av.	80	90
Commonwealth	235	245	Standard	220	225
Continental	140	200	State	348	358
Corn Exch.	415	430	23d Ward	250	
Cosmopolitan	120		Wash. Hts.	305	
East River	205		Yorkville	800	

TRUST AND SURETY COMPANIES

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Alliance	160	166	Lawyers Title	193	198
Am. Surety	95	98	Manufacturers	272	
Bond & M. G.	460	480	Metropolitan	315	325
Bankers	354	360	Mtg. Bond	105	111
Brooklyn	270	287	Mut. T. of N. Y.	120	130
Cent. Union	503	510	Nat. Surety	158	162
Commercial	115	120	N. Y. T. & M.	185	190
Empire	300		People's	97	99
Equitable	195	198	Realty Assoc.	127	130
Farm. L. & T.	537	545	Rty. A. 1st pf.	82	87
Fidelity Intl.	196	203	Rty. A. 2d pf.	68	73
Fulton	230		Title G. & T.	320	330
Guaranty	244	248	U. S. Trust	1215	1225
Hudson	210		U. S. M. & T.	304	310
Irving-Col.	224	229	U. S. Title G.	123	
Kings Co.	850		West. T. & S.	215	
Lawyers Mtg.	139	159	Westchester	210	

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Am. Alliance	360	390	Hanover	83	90
City N. Y.	218	235	Home	352	380
Continental	82	86½	Nat. Lib.	170	200
Fid. Phenix	174	180	Ni

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

AKRON, Ohio—M. O'Neil Co.: F. R. Tobin, basement ready-to-wear; 1,115 B'way (E. M. Bostman).

ALLENTOWN, Pa.—The F. Heine Co.; Mrs. D. L. Guisther, ready-to-wear; 332 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

BALTIMORE—The Hub; Miss R. Stein, misses' coats, suits, dresses, infants' wear; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—The Hub; H. J. Tarshis, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; Miss A. Dischinger, corsets, brassieres for January promotions; 16 W. 20th.

BALTIMORE—Hutzler Bros.; Miss A. Taylor, knit underwear; 353 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

BALTIMORE—Regatta Mfg. Co.; C. L. Wolf, shirtings; A. Meyers, underwear materials; 47 W. 34th.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn Co.; F. Robinson, candy, notions; W. G. Weller, domestics, linens; Miss T. A. Pastow, ready-to-wear, 220 5th Av. (F. Atkins).

BALTIMORE—Lauer & Co.; L. Lauer, dry goods, upholstery; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Eimer Leitpman Fashion Shop; E. Leipman, gen. mdse.; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Schiff & Misner; M. Misner, skirtings; Breslin.

BALTIMORE—American Wholesale Corp. (Baltimore Bargain House); G. Mullikin, drugs, sundries; 354 4th Av.; Grand.

BALTIMORE—Daniel Miller & Co.; C. Hogendorf Jr., dry goods, silks; 12 Leonard (E. W. Pfaltzgraff); Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—National Wholesale Millinery Co.; M. Lavine, millinery; 905 B'way; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—T. W. Walsh, women's apparel; Imperial.

BALTIMORE—Varsity Underwear Co.; L. H. Weil, pajamas, underwear materials, night robes; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Cahn, Coblens Co.; Miss A. V. Decker, jobs silk, evening dresses; Gregorian.

BALTIMORE—Eisenberg's; L. Eisenberg, ribbons, neckwear, umbrellas; 32 W. 35th (Jay & Co.); Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Artistic Neckwear Mfg. Co.; L. Hanauer, silks, knitted ties; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—American Wholesale Corp. (Baltimore Bargain House); G. E. Parker Jr., men's neckwear; 354 4th Av.; Imperial.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Simson Bros., Weldon Co.; L. J. McGlynn, ready-to-wear; 23 E. 26th (Mdse. Reporting Co.); Breslin.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; upstairs—Mrs. M. Withers, gloves; Miss A. O'Connell, corsets; 200 5th Av., room 602.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; basement—J. S. Kahn, leather goods, silk, cotton waists, sweaters; C. Lowenberg, boys', men's furnishings; 200 5th Av., room 602.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; basement—Miss R. Rice, jersey silk underwear, hosiery; Miss I. Markus, children's, girls' juniors' wool silk and cotton skirts, middies, coats, fur sets; upstairs—Mrs. M. Hirsch, muslin underwear; Miss E. Minahan, girls', juniors' wear; H. Nieland, curtains, upholstery; J. J. Breen, neckwear, trimmings; 200 5th Av., room 602.

BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; upstairs—Miss Slack, coats, suits; Mr. Hunting, women's coats; Mr. Bullock, women's suits; Mr. O'Neil, misses' inexpensive coats; Mr. Kaufman, misses' dressed; Miss O'Regan, misses' coats; Mrs. Phillips, women's costumes, dresses; Miss Lee, misses' inexpensive dresses; Mr. Hurley, women's inexpensive dresses; Mr. Phillips, division manager; Miss Gilman, silk and muslin underwear; Mr. Post, asst. mdse. mgr.; basement—Mr. Gainsborg, men's overcoats, trousers; Miss Lynch, petticoats, bathrobes; Mr. Tobey, shoes; Miss Williams, gloves, silk underwear; Mr. O'Brien, women's misses' coats, suits; Miss Callahan, silk underwear; Mr. Dutch, division mgr.; 225 5th Av.

BOSTON—C. F. Hovey Co. Upstairs—Mrs. J. Maurice, inexpensive silk petticoats, muslin underwear; A. Olans, Hudson seal coats; Mrs. Wallace, women's underpriced fur-trimmed coats. Basement—H. Liebes, jobs coats, dresses; Miss I. Berk, jobs women's, children's millinery; leather goods, Mrs. Miles; A. Collins, jobs knitted suits, sweaters, Philippine underwear, silk petticoats, flannelette gowns, bloomers; 225 5th Av., Room 611.

BOSTON—Conrad Co.; Mr. Daniels, waists (for sales purposes, 9 A. M.); Miss Scribner, costumes (9 A. M.); Miss E. Sharap, juniors' coats (9 A. M.); 432 4th Av. (M. Bernstein).

BOSTON—Chandler & Co.; G. F. Johnson, furs; Mrs. A. G. Dana, women's coats; 240 Madison Av.

BOSTON—J. Rubin & Co.; J. Rubin, coat, suit materials; Imperial.

BOSTON—Solomon & Mayburg; W. Solomon, silks; Pennsylvania.

BOSTON—The Shepard Stores; Miss M. E. Tyrrell, children's wear; 220 5th Av. (F. Atkins).

BOSTON—Karpos Cloak Co.; A. I. Karpas, medium, better grade regular and extra misses' also short coats, suits; Athens.

BOSTON—Peerless and Boston Reliable Petticoat Co.; S. Andrews, silks, cottons, radiums, jerseys, trimmings; 200 5th Av., Room 510.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; upstairs, Miss A. Flaherty, cotton waists, high-grade cotton waists; E. Lahty, laces; C. Hurd, women's hosiery, women's knit underwear; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; upstairs, Miss L. Keegan, waists, sweaters; Miss N. Davis, knit underwear; Mrs. Z. Byrnes, dresses; Mrs. J. Mulcahey, umbrellas; Miss E. Wetzel, fancy linens and stamped goods; 200 5th Av., Room 602.

BOSTON—Simons, Hatch & Whitten Co.; W. P. Warner, flannels, negligees, work shirts; Breslin.

BOSTON—M. J. Collins, mfrs. coats; Breslin.

BRIDGEPORT—D. M. Read Co.; G. E. Walls, C. Pilling, flannels, blankets; R. S. Husted, draperies, curtains, &c.; Miss A. Knapp, ready-to-wear; Miss E. M. Brett, millinery; Miss Noonan, toilet goods, notions, &c.; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

BROCKTON, Mass.—Fraser D. G. Co.; B. Shiffler, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.); Aberdeen.

BUFFALO—Wm. Hengerer Co.; Miss D. A. McFarland, stouts' apparel; Mrs. P. Brinton, ready-to-wear; Miss G. Sticklin, girls', juniors' dresses, coats for promotions; Miss V. Lambo, misses' dresses; 16 W. 39th.

BUFFALO—L. L. Berger Co.; L. L. Berger, furs, ready-to-wear; Miss R. C. Van de Water, frocks, gowns; 370 7th Av. (H. C. Lyon); Pennsylvania.

BUFFALO—L. Goldin; N. Goldin, waists, skirts; 236 5th Av.; Breslin.

BUFFALO—Gerber, Nott & Co.; L. M. Rapleye, silks, ribbons; W. J. Macauley, flowers, feathers; Pennsylvania.

BUFFALO—Buffalo Shirt Co.; R. N. Koch, piece goods; Pennsylvania.

BUFFALO—Morrison's, Inc.; J. R. Morrison, ladies' ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Plaita-Smolian Cooperative Stores Co.; A. I. Abkowitz, jobs women's velour and tailored suits; 115 W. 29th (B. C. Levis).

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Effron Jobbing Co.; J. Wasserman, jobs poiret twill silk dresses, low priced; 1,225 B'way (Jobbers Market).

CHICAGO—Philipsborn's; S. E. Obermeyer, silks, woolens and cotton goods; 225 B'way, 7th floor.

CHICAGO—Mandel Bros.; A. H. Buehler, coats; 224 Pennsylvania.

CINCINNATI—Artistic Garment Co. (jobbers); M. Levine, Spring silk dresses; 1,182 B'way (Weinstein & Weiss).

CINCINNATI—Kline Bros. & Co.; L. Liberman, ready-to-wear; 404 4th Av.; Pennsylvania.

CLEVELAND—Wm. Taylor, Son & Co.; J. Aronson, men's shirts, basement; 225 5th Av., Room 614.

CLEVELAND—Halle Bros. Co.; Miss C. M. Freethold, dress goods, silks, velvets; H. S. Moorehouse, mdse. mgr.; 220 5th Av. (F. Atkins).

CLEVELAND—Hirsch Co.; Miss E. Cohen, jobs silk dresses, new Spring dresses; 16 W. 39th. (O. Abel).

CLEVELAND—The May Co.; J. O. Sproul, coats, suits, dresses; 1,115 B'way (E. M. Bostman).

CLEVELAND—D. Asaderian, Oriental rugs; Brostell.

CLEVELAND—Oppenheim-Collins Co.; R. Davis, mdse. mgr., ready-to-wear; 35 W. 34th, Georgian.

COLUMBUS—M. H. Rieser; Mrs. A. Reed, ready-to-wear; 1,170 B'way (Weisman & Miller).

CONCORD, N. C.—Parks-Belk Co.; J. G. Parks, general mdse.; 120 W. 32d (A. Fanti).

DALLAS—Higginbotham, Bailey, Logan Co.; J. McCarty, ladies' ready-to-wear; 395 B'way.

DAYTON, Ohio—Rike-Kumler Co.; Miss A. Lund, furs; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

DELHI, N. Y.—Miss R. L. Raines, ready-to-wear; Continental.

DENVER—Nat Weinberg, job cheap Fall silk dresses for basement sale; 42 W. 34th, Room 1007. (Joseph K. Rosenberg).

DENVER—Weinberg's; S. Schiff, basement jobs fur-trimmed sport coats and velvetine dresses; 29 W. 32d, (Littman & Storch).

DETROIT—Crowley, Milner Co.; E. G. Arutfo, carpets, rugs, linoleums; 38 W. 32d.

DETROIT—Stotter's; H. J. Stotter, ready-to-wear; Claridge.

DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; Miss M. Futs, muslin underwear, basement; N. Gavender, coats, suits, basement; Miss M. King, stouts' coats, dresses; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

DETROIT—Frank & Seder Co.; Miss M. Murray, jobs, waists, knitted suits; 1,372 B'way. (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

DETROIT—Crowley-Milner & Co.; Mrs. E. J. Dakin, children's, juniors' coats, dresses; C. H. Gainsley, men's trousers, working clothes, corduroy and sheepskin coats, navy pea jackets; 24 W. 32d, Room 1512.

DUBUQUE, Iowa—Roshek Bros. Co.; S. H. Roshek, dresses; 145 W. 30th.

DULUTH, Minn.—Steele Apparel Co.; J. Steele, jobs better grade women's silk dresses; 1,182 Broadway (Silverstein Buying Corp.).

ELMIRA, N. Y.—S. F. Isard Co.; E. H. Martin, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

FLINT, Mich.—Barnes & Hoffman; A. M. Barnes, jobs dresses; Miss E. Barnes, jobs better dresses; jobs leather purses; 18 West 27th, Room 608.

GENEVA, N. Y.—Peck's; William G. Peck, millinery; Herald Square.

GRAND RAPIDS—Charles Trankla & Co.; Miss D. Schneider, hosiery, handkerchiefs, gloves, knit underwear; 432 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—B. S. Chapin, Inc.; S. Dauer, jobs low-end silk dresses; 36 West 32th (Silverstone Attorney).

HARRISBURG—Kaufman's; F. S. Hesser, gloves; 1,150 Broadway (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

HARTFORD—Sage, Allen & Co.; F. J. Killian, flannels, blankets; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

HAZELTON, Pa.—New York Sample Shop; J. Schilling, silk dresses, jobs poiret twill, children's wool and silk dresses and coats; 20 West 22d, Room 706.

INDIANAPOLIS—William H. Block Co.; B. Hayes, large quantities fur-trimmed coats; 1,225 Broadway (S. M. Goldberg).

INDIANAPOLIS—Traugott Brothers.; Louis Traugott, children's velvet and gingham dresses; 117 West 33d (Hoffman & Hartblay).

INDIANAPOLIS—L. S. Ayres & Co.; Miss M. Hart, art dept.; 225 5th Av. (Retail Research Assn.).

KALAMAZOO, Mich.—J. R. Jones's Sons & Co.; Miss J. M. Bartley, ready-to-wear; Commodore.

KALAMAZOO, Mich.—Gilmore Bros.; Miss C. Deuts, muslin underwear; 1,150, B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—H. M. David, ready-to-wear; 120 West 32d (Arthur Mincer, Inc.).

LANCASTER—Hager & Brother; J. W. Aikins, flannels, blankets; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

LONG BEACH, Cal.—Buffum's; W. J. Lamberti, silk piece goods, woolens; 1,170 B'way (F. M. Steadman).

LOS ANGELES—Hamburger's; H. L. Bartlett, coats, suits, dresses, basement; 1,115 Broadway (E. M. Bostman).

LOS ANGELES—Broadway Dept. Store; Mrs. Routh, low-end dresses; 47 Madison Ave.

LOS ANGELES—Scott's Dept. Store; S. Rosenfeld, jobs low-end silk dresses; 36 W. 29th (Frohman-Altman).

LYNN, Mass.—Burrows & Sanborn; C. H. Johnson, Mrs. Wilfred, ready-to-wear; 432 4th Av. (R. J. Cronin, Inc.).

MERIDEN, Conn.—Ives, Upham & Rand Co.; J. Martin, flannels, blankets; 315 4th Ave. (D. G. Alliance).

MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—James H. Bunce Co.; D. P. Brainard, blankets, flannels; C. W. Cramer, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Ave. (D. G. Alliance).

MILWAUKEE—Dorsen D. G. Co.; Mrs. S. Dorsen, jobs fur coats; 1,133 B'way, Room 1314.

MILWAUKEE—Milwaukee Apparel Co.; Miss B. Masterson, jobs better fur-trimmed coats; Iwa Blasa, children's serge dresses; basement, 0-14; 36 W. 29th (Frohman-Altman).

MINNEAPOLIS—Whitney, MacGregor Co.; G. La Bissoniere, ready-to-wear, furs; 432 4th Ave. (D. G. Union).

NEW BEDFORD—New Bedford D. G. Co.; H. J. Ewing, blankets; 315 4th Ave. (D. G. Alliance).

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Edward Malley Co.; Robert Ryan, linen; 32 W. 35th (Jay & Co.).

NEW HAVEN—Shartenberg & Robinson Co.; J. J. Lynch, domestics, flannels; F. Linehan, hosiery, men's furnishings; H. G. Mencke, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Ave. (D. G. Alliance).

NEW HAVEN—Samuel Lettes, jobs boys' raincoats; 1,270 B'way, Room 418.

NEW HAVEN—Mendel & Harris, Inc.; S. Harris, mdse. manager; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Mendel & Harris, Inc.; Miss Y. Dushinsky, infants' wear; M. Brodsky, rugs, upholstery; J. Sullivan, domestics, linens; G. Whitehead, men's, boys' furnishings; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

OIL CITY, La.—Dixie Merc. Co.; Mr. Baker, mdse. manager; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

PAWTUCKET, R. I.—Shartenberg & Robinson Co.; J. F. DeLorey, notions, toilet goods, &c.; H. H. King, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Ave. (D. G. Alliance).

PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; A. Solomon, blouses; H. Suratt, dresses; basement, 120 W. 32d (A. Fanti).

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Bros.; Mrs. S. Snellgrove, gymnasium bloomers, middies, knickers, riding habits; B'way and 32d (N. Y. Office).

PHILADELPHIA—Stecker's, Inc.; Mr. Hammer, jobs coats; 236 5th Av., Room 709.

PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; Mr. Sachs, jobs velvet dresses; 120 W. 32d (A. Fanti).

PHILADELPHIA—N. Snellenberg & Co.; J. Kaplan, extra size fur-trimmed coats; 1,225 B'way (S. M. Goldberg).

PHILADELPHIA—Pinel Co.; L. Englander, new Spring dresses; 1,372 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PHILADELPHIA—Blum Store; Mrs. M. Spector, ready-to-wear; M. Spector, coats, suits, wraps, sport wear; Mrs. K. Spitall, cheap dresses; 2 W. 33d; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Jack Kahn, coats, suits; Imperial.

PHILADELPHIA—Franklin Sweater Mills; A. I. Lichtenstein, yarns; Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—G. A. Rumpf, hosiery; Breslin.

PHILADELPHIA—Stewart's; Miss Kowitz, coats, astrakhan jackets; 120 W. 32d (A. Fanti).

PHILADELPHIA—N. Snellenberg & Co.; W. Bucks, boys' clothing; 1,225 B'way (S. M. Goldberg); Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; Miss A. Guggenheim, umbrellas; B'way and 32d (New York Office).

PHILADELPHIA—M. Norwick & Son; H. A. Norwick, suits, piece goods; 1,261 B'way; Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; C. H. Van Scoten, imported English broadcloth shirts; 404 4th Av. (M. L. Heyman).

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; S. M. Kirdon, women's bathrobes (basement), millinery; 404 4th Av. (M. L. Heyman).

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; Miss A. Myers, stone martens, baum martens and sables; 1,872 B'way (National Dept. Stores, Inc.).

PITTSBURGH—The Porter Co.; F. C. Waddell, hats; Imperial.

PITTSBURGH—Meyer, Friedman & Co.; H. Friedman, men's furnishings; Pennsylvania.

READING, Pa.—C. K. Whitner Co.; H. W. Reed, blankets, flannels; H. D. Whitner, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

READING, Pa.—Kline, Epplihimer & Co.; R. Lenhart, women's wear, hair goods; 432 4th Av. (D. G. Union).

RICHMOND—M. Rich & Bros.; J. P. Flynn, silks, dress goods; 352 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

RICHMOND—Kaufmann's, Inc.; Mr. Jostas, millinery; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

ROCHESTER—Ader's Women's Shoppe; Mrs. D. D. Ader, new silk dresses, silk underwear; Breslin.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Stein, Bloch Co.; C. T. Stott, piece goods; 200 5th Av.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa—Davidson Bros. Co.; A. Davidson, mdse. mgr.; 352 4th Av. (Kirby, Block & Fischer).

SOUTH BEND, Ind.—Branden-Durrell Co.; E. Hagey, laces, embroideries, notions, novelties; New York.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—M. Netter D. G. Co.; M. Netter, dry goods, women's ready-to-wear, notions; Pennsylvania.

ST. LOUIS—Stix & Walker D. G. Co.; S. Kahman, hosiery; 56 Worth.

ST. LOUIS—Gross-Freedman Skirt Co.; B. Freedman, skirtings; Pennsylvania.

ST. LOUIS—Parts Style Garment Co.; I. A. Hessel, ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

ST. LOUIS—Shoe Specialty Mfg. Co.; H. C. Ordet, shoes; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—Hecht Co.; Miss L. Langenkamp, ready-to-wear; E. M. Kingsbury, draperies; 1,150 B'way (F. Lilienthal, Inc.).

WASHINGTON—Woodward & Lothrop; C. A. Bowman, carpets, rugs; W. C. Bowman, window display mgr.; 370 7th Av., Room 1701.

WASHINGTON—Risik Bros.; A. M. Risik, dresses, ready-to-wear, coats, suits; Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON—A. H. Berman; S. H. Berman, clothing, furnishings; Herald Square.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.—H. Ellis; Mrs. H. Ellis, ready-to-wear; 117 W. 32d (Hoffman & Hartblay).

WORCESTER, Mass.—Denholm & McKay Co.; A. J. Fish, silks, fine cottons; 240 Madison Av.

WORCESTER—Barnard, Sumner & Putnam Co.; Charles Heller, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

YORK, Pa.—Charles H. Bear & Co.; W. J. Woods, flannels, blankets; B. S. Chapin, ready-to-wear; 315 4th Av. (D. G. Alliance).

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—G. M. McKelvy Co.; O. D. Sheets, coats, Spring merchandise; 333 7th Av. (John M. Bruno).

ASK RECEIVER FOR "POPPY."

Former Stage Director Julian Alfred Wants Share of Profits.

A suit for the appointment of a receiver for the musical comedy "Poppy" at the Apollo Theatre, in which Madge Kennedy and W. C. Fields are starring, was filed in the Supreme Court yesterday by the former stage director, Julian Alfred, against Philip Goodman, the producer, and the Two Nightingales Corporation, nominal owner of the show, which Goodman controls.

Alfred asserts that he was made general director later and that he received $500 a week during the rehearsals and was to get one per cent. of the gross receipts after the production came to New York. He alleges that on Oct. 6 last he was directed to keep away from the theatre.

The complaint asks that Goodman be compelled to obey the contract and that the receipts be turned over to a receiver with court instructions to pay him his share.

Movie School Officers Arrested.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—A "movie star mill," alleged to have promised its students that it would make them photoplay actors in five weeks for $50, was uncovered here last night when detectives arrested four men on charges of conspiracy to defraud. Scores of school girls and middle-aged men and women had made initial payments of $5 on their tuition, detectives said. Use of the name of Miss Muriel McCormick, daughter of Harold F. McCormick, attracted many, it was said. L. F. Callahan, President; W. B. Bower, Vice President; H. Black, Secretary-Treasurer, and J. F. Miller, sales manager, were held on $1,000 bonds.

GOVERNMENT LOSES IN INCOME TAX SUIT

Court Holds Levy Can Be Made Only for Months of Year Prior to Death.

ACTION WAS A TEST CASE

Federal Authorities Claimed Payment Should Be for Full Twelve Months.

An opinion of the United States Circuit Court, handed down yesterday, is to the effect that taxes due on the income of an estate of a deceased person shall be a charge only on the income received during the months of the taxable year prior to death. The Government insisted on a twelve-month basis of computing the income that would yield returns as surtaxes. This method, the Court says, is wrong and that wherever a doubt exists in the law providing for the levying of taxes the interpretation must be to the benefit of the taxpayer.

The action was a test case instituted by the Bankers' Trust Company as executor of the will of John Glackner against Frank K. Bowers as Collector of Internal Revenue. The complaint alleged that the proper tax due for 1921 was $260.44, but the defendant demanded and received $1,506.04, and that the difference was paid under protest. A second cause of action demanded the return also of $583.58, which it was alleged was unjustly levied and collected.

Victor House, the Assistant United States District Attorney, who represented the Government along with Nelson T. Hartson and Abe Calder Mackay, said:

"The decision will substantially affect the estate of every deceased taxpayer and will make a large difference in the amount of surtaxes collected annually from the estates of decedents. Numerous threatened law suits all over the country have been withheld awaiting the outcome of this case.

"The Government contended that the income of estates of persons who died in the middle of a tax year should be put upon an annual basis under Section 226 (c) of the Revenue Act of 1921. Thus if a man died on Jan. 31 his income during January would be multiplied by twelve and the tax calculated on the larger figure and then divided by twelve. The result would be to impose large surtaxes upon the incomes of deceased persons."

H. F. Wilson Jr., Vice President of the Bankers Trust Company and President of the Corporate Fiduciaries Association, made the following comment on the decision:

"The rule contended for by the Treasury Department was more inequitable and worked a hardship on a great many estates in that it required the payment of a tax not upon an actual income but on a hypothetical income which in fact was never received and could never have been received."

Lived 11 Months With Broken Neck

STAMFORD, Conn., Dec. 11.—John P. Muller, a painter, died in the Stamford Hospital today after existing eleven months with a broken back. On Jan. 6, while painting a house, Muller slipped from the scaffold and fell to the ground, about forty feet.

BUYERS' WANTS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

Men's Wear.

LININGS and Trimmings Wanted—Clothiers' and tailors', cheap; cash. Call between 4-5:30 Stuyvesant 4092.

BUYERS' WANTS.

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ASTRACHANS Wanted—All colors, quantity for spot cash. Rosenberg & Davis, 147 West 25th.

BOLIVIA Wanted—21421 black, at a price, or will give 18209 or 15140 black in place at value; also marvella black. Murray Hill 8810.

BOLIVIA Wanted — Lustrous and Rot de Laine; must be cheap. Pennsylvania 1094.

BOLIVIAS Wanted—Quantity, $2 top; also Stevens 4467. Fair, 118 West 27th.

BRYTONIAS Wanted—All makes, or similar cloths; also regents. Ashland 7585.

BRYTONIA Wanted—Quantity. Henry Leavy & Son, Longacre 6643.

CANTON Wanted—Satin faced at a price. Harry Shulte, 11th floor, 229 West 36th.

CANTON Crepe Wanted—10,000 yards for cash. Max Schneck, 116 West 14th.

CANTON Wanted—Satin faced; all colors; for cash. 235 5th Av., Room 407.

CHINCHILLA Plaids Wanted —17093 or similar cloths; also heavyweight plaid backs. Ashland 7585.

CLOTH Wanted for coatings; sport and novelties; better material; also mill ends and seconds. Schneider & Werner, 261 West 36th St.

CLOTH Wanted—Hairline stripe in twill and poiret; all colors. Ben Ginsberg Co., 134 West 37th. Chickering 7246.

CLOTH Wanted—Suiting and coating; cash. William Berrak Co., 229 4th Av.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring samples coats, suits of better kind Call all week, 9-12, 142 West 36th, 16th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on popular-priced coats and sport dresses. Call with samples. Room 1601, 38 West 32d.

COATS Wanted — Jobber looking at better grade Spring sample coats and suits. First floor, 22 West 27th. Watkins 6072.

COATS Wanted—Leading jobber placing orders on desirable Spring styles. Call with samples, 1120 West 29th, 3d floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on children's, infants', juniors' coats for Spring. 143 West 29th, 4th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better-made Spring coats; call with samples. May Goldstein, 39 West 31st.

COATS Wanted—Jobber buying dressy and sport coats; snappy models; looking all week, 147 West 26th, 1st floor.

COATS, Suits Wanted — Placing orders on high priced suits and coats. Eisenberg & Sommerfield, 13 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better grade snappy styles Spring coats. 127 West 29th, 3d floor.

COATS Wanted—Children's and junior Spring coats; placing orders. Stein & Kirsch, 122 West 26th.

COATS, Capes Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders misses', juniors', children's. 130 West 26th, first floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring misses' and ladies' coats. Fierman & Kolmer, 202 5th Av.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on Spring coats, infants', children's and juniors'. 24 West 30th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring coats. Call after 1 P. M., 24 floor, 28 West 31st.

COATS, Suits and Capes Wanted — Jobber looking at Spring styles. Call 22 West 30th St., 3d floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on infants', children's, juniors' coats, suits, 9th floor, 30 West 29th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on better Spring coats and capes. Marks & Funk, 24 West 25th.

COATS Wanted—Placing orders on Spring coats; bring samples, all week. 115 West 27th, 3d floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber buying infants', children's Spring coats. 22 West 26th, 6th floor.

COATS Wanted—Children's and juniors, for Spring; snappy styles. 7th floor, 11 West 32d.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Better grade for Spring. Mornings, 108 West 29th, 5th floor.

COATS Wanted — Jobber placing orders Spring coats. Second floor, 151 West 30th.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring coats. 45 West 27th, 3d floor.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Placing orders for Spring lines. 26 West 31st, 3d floor.

COATS Wanted — Jobber looking at Spring coats. 135 West 29th St., 1st floor.

COATS, Suits and Capes Wanted — For Spring. Cohen & Geo. 11 West 27th.

COATS Wanted—We buy discarded Spring samples. Phone Longacre 3432.

COATS Wanted—Snappy Spring garments. I. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATS Wanted—Jobber buying Spring coats, suits. 6 West 32d, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted—Better coats at price for cash. Chelsea 1367.

Telephone Bryant 1000.

BUYERS' WANTS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

COATS Wanted—Exclusive jobber will place orders on Spring coats in bolivias, velours, poiretz and sport materials, also stouts. 23 West 35th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Ladies' Spring; jobber placing orders, immediate delivery; call with samples. M. Felenstein & Bros., 26 West 32d.

COATS Wanted — Placing orders new Spring styles, misses', juniors' and children's; all week, mornings only. 11th floor, 38 West 32d St.

COATS Wanted—We are ready to place orders on infants', children's and juniors' Spring coats and capes. 9th floor, 163 West 36th.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing Spring orders on better kind of dressy coats, capes and sport coats. Victor S. Everett, 114 West 26th.

COATS Wanted—Out-of-town jobbers buying ladies' and children's coats for Spring; big business assured. 1,225 Broadway, Room 504.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring misses' and juniors' coats. Call between 9 and 12, 9th floor, 36 West 25th.

COTTON Goods Wanted—Accumulation in every description before your stock taking. M. Cottin, 486 Broadway. Canal 8891.

COTTON Goods Wanted—Open to buy 50,000 yards white jeans; will pay cash. J. L. Hirsh Co. Dickens 1322.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing quantity orders this week on Spring silk dresses, from $5.75 to $25, made in cantons, crepe de chines, georgettes, roshanaras and novelty silks of all kinds; we use large quantities within this price range; samples inspected daily 9 to 5 o'clock only. King & Applebaum, 338 7th Av., corner 29th.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber now placing stock orders on new Spring styles of taffeta, canton crepe, georgette, crepe de chine and all novelty materials in afternoon and street dresses. Samples 9-5 daily. 28 West 32d, 5th floor. Pennsylvania 4330.

DRESSES Wanted—Big jobbing house placing quantity orders on misses' and women's dresses in all Spring leading materials of latest styles to wholesale from $6.75 to $19.75. 119 West 33d. D. & D. Mfg. Co.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on all high grade satin cantons, crepe Elizabeth, Roman crepes, cantons and all newest materials for Spring. Apply 9-5, 246 West 38th St. (store).

DRESSES Wanted—Stein & Salomon, Chicago jobbers, open for better grade dresses. Call Wednesday morning in care of Latkin & Solomon, 25 West 32d, at Room 21.

DRESSES Wanted—Attention model makers, designers and contractors who make dresses of the better kind; bring samples; placing orders. 7 West 30th, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing stock orders on smart styles in skirts to wholesale $12.75 to $19.75. 131 West 24th, one flight up, east entrance, 9 to 12 A. M. only.

DRESSES Wanted—Contractors, we are placing orders for Spring. Call with original models only, silks and novelties, 9-12, 34 West 27th, 8th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Waist manufacturer now placing orders for Spring; all materials; prices $8.75-$20. Call afternoons only, 115 West 30th, 5th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders for better-grade misses' and ladies' Spring dresses; silks only. Third floor, 247 West 36th.

DRESSES Wanted—Western jobber looking at Spring silks, popular and better grades. Call all morning, 1440 Broadway, Room 705.

DRESSES Wanted—Looking at new Spring styles in misses' and women's silk taffeta dresses; call all week. 12 West 32d, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Children's; jobber placing Spring orders on infants', children's dresses and coats. Room 801, 43 West 27th.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders Spring dresses and novelties. Call with samples all week. 130 West 25th, 4th floor

DRESSES Wanted — Jobber placing orders on better grade silk and cotton dresses; call after 1, 30 West 29th, 5th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on snappy styles at Spring materials, also sport effects. Room 511, 2 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing quantity orders on new Spring dresses; all materials. 333 7th Av., 13th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing orders on Spring samples ladies' and stouts, silks. 10th floor, 120 West 27th.

DRESSES Wanted — Spot cash paid, all kinds, for jobs; must be exceptional values. Phone Samuels, Longacre 3178.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on new poiret twill dresses in women's sizes. Sonora, 146 West 25th.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on new Spring numbers. 11 West 32d, 10th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring dresses; all materials. Castle Costume, 45 West 25th.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing stock orders snappy Normandias and linens. Warren Dress, 258 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on juniors' Spring dresses. Call with samples, 18 West 21st, fifth floor.

DRESSES, Coats Wanted—Jobs for cash; any quantity. 127 West 33d, Room 207. Chickering 7246.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on new Spring styles, sport and silk. Pansy Dress, 29 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on new street and sport dresses. 3d floor, 142 West 36th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber now placing orders on Spring styles. Room 403, 3 West 29th.

DRESSES Wanted—Stock orders women's canton dresses. Volume Dress, 35 West 33d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs serges, poiretz, silks; spot cash. Room 302, 1,165 Broadway.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring models; 6th floor, 30 West 36th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs silk dresses; highest prices, spot cash. Madison Square 1925.

DRESSES Wanted—Misses', juniors', linene, voiles and novelties. 7th floor, 6 West 30th.

DRESSES Wanted—Sport dresses only, high class, no silks. Louis Baum, 21 West 30th.

DRESSES, Coats Wanted—Small or large lots for cash. Ashland 7564, extension 4.

DRESSES Wanted—Better dresses, silks and cloths at price; cash. Chelsea 1367.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs silks, any quantity; spot cash. Progress, 22 West 32d.

DUCK Wanted—Brown duck piece goods. Moe Hyman, 350 Broadway.

FUR Coats Wanted — For cash; raccoon, muskrat and sealine coats; also 40-inch coats; trimmed or plain; bring samples to store, 9 to 10 A. M.; prices must be right; cash on delivery. Mr. Kay, 662 6th Av.

FUR Coats Wanted — Sealine, muskrat, raccoon, marmot; good priced raccoon; for cash; prices must be right; call with samples; 9:30-11. Falk, 443 7th Av.

FUR Collars Wanted—Platinum, wolves and squirrels; quantities at a price. Joseph Lichtenthal, 20 West 30th.

FURS Wanted—Platinum wolf collars, good quality, at a price; cash. Hammer Friedman, Relax, 142 West 26th.

FURS Wanted—Beavers, viatka squirrel and platinum wolf collars and sets. B. Heller & Co., 28 West 27th.

FURS Wanted—Beaver, squirrel; large quantities; jobs of all kinds; spot cash. 12th floor, 12 West 27th.

FURS Wan

LOST AND FOUND

Advertisements for tomorrow received until midnight. Bryant 1000.

LOST.

BAG, marquisette, initials M. S. G., vicinity Metropolitan Opera House; reward. Phone Henry Goldstein, Lexington 2644.

BAG, containing $31 and theatre tickets, Capitol Theatre, Sunday; reward. Decatur 2971.

BAG, silver beaded, in taxi, Sunday evening; liberal reward. Lenox 6470.

BANK BOOK, large bill and brooch, last week; liberal reward. Mrs. White, 317 Hoyt St., Brooklyn.

BANK BOOK, Chelsea Exchange Bank, No. 6905. Finder please return to Chelsea Exchange Bank.

BANKBOOK No. 4626 lost. Please return to Pacific Bank, 49th St. and 7th Av.

BEADED BAG, from No. 4 5th Av., bus, Riverside Drive, Saturday, between 6 and 7 P. M.; reward. G. Atkins, 606 West 116th.

BILLFOLD—Gold corner, containing $25 and cards; lost Dec. 11 in taxi to 50th St. and Lexington Av. or in Bloomingdales; suitable reward. Return Blackstone Hotel, 50 East 58th.

BOX, black cardboard, left in taxicab between 52d and 37th Sts.; reward. Routon, 233 West 52d.

CERTIFICATE NO. P 53640, issued Feb. 15, 1890, for 25 shares of the common stock of The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in the name of John Arata Sr.; transfer has been stopped. Henry & Kirkbride, 1,330 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

ENVELOPE containing embroidery designs, also white silk, 5th Av. bus, Tuesday morning; reward. 11 West 36th St. Dundon.

FOUNTAIN PEN—Sterling silver, initials C. R. C.; reward; phone. Fesler, Rector 0020.

KEY BADGE of Kappa Kappa Gamma, consisting of gold key, set with diamonds and rubies, "Daisy Orton" engraved on back; liberal reward. W. E. Bullock, care American Society of Mechanical Engineers, 29 West 39th St., New York.

PAPERS, official, lost, shuttle train, Grand Central, Times Square; reward. Stefane, Apt. 617, 225 West 86th.

POCKETBOOK, black silk, gold vanity inside, in I. T. O. A. taxi, Saturday afternoon, between 42d St. and Saks; reward. Noble, 67 Worth St.

GLASSES, pair in shell, in paper bag with scissors, &c.; reward. Endicott 1298.

PURSE, black crepe de chine, containing $20, glasses, keys. H. Beauchant, 244 East 86th. Phone Lenox 0656.

SPECTACLES, tortoise shell, on Monday evening, foot of 72d St. and John St.; reward. London Guarantee and Accident Co., 90 Maiden Lane. Miss O'Brien.

SUIT CASE containing gentleman's wearing apparel, in Penn. Station or L. I. train to Great Neck Monday, about 730 P. M.; liberal reward. Telephone Circle 3085.

TEMPORARY CERTIFICATE No. M 18681 (M 1,000) Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, refunding mortgage, 30-year gold bond, Series "A." Mr. B. J. Rose, 107 Grand St., New York City.

UMBRELLA, blue silk, amber and silver handle, initials G. A. McC.; subway, Monday. Address F 84 Times.

LOST—Southern Pacific Company Stock Certificate No. G-107678 for ten (10) shares, in the name of Thomas F. Burns. Notice is hereby given to show cause to said company, 165 Broadway, New York, why a duplicate should not be issued. T. F. Burns, 202 Westford St., Lowell, Mass.

Jewelry.

BAR PIN, diamonds, onyx, platinum, between 42d and 96th, Monday, Dec. 10; liberal reward. W 269 Times.

BAR PIN—Diamond, Friday, between 31st St. and Vanderbilt Hotel, 5th Av. or 34th St.; reward. Cortlandt 4820.

BAR PIN, platinum, 24 small stones, larger centre stone; reward. Audubon 7326.

BRACELET—Antique garnet, Saturday night on 48th St., between 5th and 6th Avs.; reward. Telephone Madison Square 9543.

BRACELET, gold, chain, Franklin Simons, Tuesday noon. Please telephone Bingham 6000.

BROOCH, small diamond horse, lost, Monday; reward. Telephone 1764 Academy.

CHAIN—$50 reward for return of platinum chain containing 116 small pearls, lost in taxi, restaurant or theatre on Wednesday or Thursday, Dec. 5 or 6. Bechet & Barclay, 542 5th Av., Room 50.

CIRCLE PIN, diamond and pearl, between West 58th and East 59th, or on 5th Av. bus. Phone Circle 0466; reward.

DOG COLLAR, pearl, Monday, about ¾-inch gold, diamond set, between Park Av. 51st, 72d, Madison, 65th, 5th Av.; liberal reward. W 288 Times.

EARRING—Reward is offered to the person returning a carnelian and gold earring, family heirloom, lost Tuesday morning before 10 o'clock on 56th St. between 5th and Park Avs. Please phone Hotel Langdon, Plaza 7100.

FOUNTAIN PEN—Gold mounted, gift, owner's name stamped on it; lost Saturday night on 40th St., between 5th and 6th Avs. Telephone Madison Square 8541; reward.

LORGNETTE with pearl chain attached, lost Tuesday in neighborhood of 96th St. and Broadway; liberal reward. Mrs. Böck, 248 West 96th.

PEARLS, long string, lost between Ambassador Hotel and Century Theatre or 40th-50th, last Tuesday; $500 reward. Plaza 5063.

RING — Liberal reward for large solitaire diamond ring (man's) Saturday, Dec. 4. Hotel Astor, St. Alphonsus Club dinner or taxi to 5,503 18th Av., Brooklyn. Phone Canal 3913.

WATCH — Lady's sterling wrist watch, square; keepsake; reward. E. Olsen, 1,700 West 7th St., Brooklyn.

$1,500 REWARD for the return of large diamond gold platinum brooch, shield shape; in or near Metropolitan Opera House, Wednesday evening, Nov. 28; family heirloom. Bank of New York and Trust Co., Madison Av. Branch, 106 Madison Av.

$200 REWARD

for return of bar pin, pearl in centre, about 8 large and numerous small diamonds, lost Dec. 3 at or between Plaza Hotel and East 71st St., or in taxicab. A. C. Bennett, 15 William St. Broad 2764.

Wearing Apparel.

FUR NECKPIECE, baum marten, lost in Mogul Checker cab on Sunday night last; suitable reward for return to 216 West 100th. Apartment 12B.

NECKPIECE, 3-skin sable, Colburn label; reward. Basch, 853 7th Av. Circle 9432.

PACKAGE containing wearing apparel, Saturday, vicinity 116th Street; reward. W 275 Times.

SQUIRREL SCARF Monday night, vicinity Broadway and 80th; reward. Schneider, 1,942 Franklin Av.

Cats, Dogs and Birds.

DOG, wire-haired fox terrier, Madison Av. and 54th St.; $25 reward. No questions asked if returned to 951 Madison Av.

CAT, small gray Angora, female, strayed from 150 West 73d St.; reward. Call Endicott 3910.

FOUND.

BRACELET found, two weeks ago; write identification. G 882 Times Downtown.

FOUNTAIN PEN, sterling silver, small, initialed; Trinity Place. Phone Cortland 1491.

FUR COAT, New York, Sunday; furnish complete details. W 779 Times Downtown.

LOCKET with two pictures, one in uniform, Saturday, Madison Av. and 50th St.; communicate with J. H. Bradford, 1 East 51st.

TERRIER—Brown, short haired, with collar, found in Central Park Sunday morning, Dec. 9. Telephone Rhinelander 0529.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

WANTED FOR ADOPTION!

Highly educated lady will take two girls, 2-4 years, to raise and give best educational and cultural advantages; must be healthy and attractive; positively no money paid; prefer to correspond with parent or guardian; confidential; references exchanged; fine chance for promising children. P 55 Times.

OLSEN, OLGA OR THE PERSON BEARing that name in February 1911, and residing at that time at 627 East 135th St., New York City, phone or call on Charles V. Scanlan, Attorney, 51 Chambers St., New York City. Phone Worth 2733. Very important.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—YOU ARE hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Beckie Frey. PHILIP FREY.
891 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn.

HARDWARE STORE OF MORRIS SIMPSON at 1,113 Avenue J., Brooklyn, has been sold to Harry Chosak. All debts incurred before Dec. 3 will be paid by previous owner.

HAVING SOLD MY BRANCH GROCERY store, 2,035 Madison Av., to James O'Boyle, all creditors present their bills to me, 1,745 Park Av. MARTIN NAUGHTON.

GENTLEMAN, driving auto to Cleveland immediately after Christmas, will take young man as companion. J 783 Times Downtown.

Your Christmas list is not complete if it does not include a gift to the Hundred Needlest Cases. Make check payable to the Hundred Needlest Cases Fund and mail to The New York Times, Times Square, New York City.

AMERICAN TOURISTS SAILING FOR EUROPE

Some Going to Switzerland for the Winter Sports, Others to the Riviera.

FOUR LINERS LEAVE TODAY

Prominent Passengers on the Paris, Conte Rosso, George Washington and President Van Buren.

Four liners leave today for Europe carrying a large number of Americans bound to St. Moritz, Switzerland, for the Winter sports in the snow and for the South of France and Algeria. Among the notables sailing on the French liner Paris for Plymouth and Havre today is Alain J. Gerbault, international tennis star and French "Ace," who, alone, crossed the Atlantic in a 30-foot sailboat, the voyage lasting 142 days. He is to be decorated with the Legion of Honor, awarded him for his daring exploit. He leaves his tiny craft here, and will return early next year and embark on an even longer trip by himself.

Among the Americans of prominence sailing to celebrate the holidays in Europe are: Mrs. George J. Gould and George J. Gould Jr., Miss Jane S. Gould and Miss G. S. Gould; Mme. Emma Eames de Gorgoza, Miss Gertrude Hoffman, the dancer; Parmely Herrick, son of the United States Ambassador to France, with his family, and Mrs. Frederic Courtland Penfield, widow of the late war-time United States Ambassador to Austria-Hungary.

Prominent among the European contingent returning home for the holiday season are: Senator Paul Dupuy, proprietor of the Parisian newspapers L'Excelsior and Le Petit Parisian, who has been studying American newspaper methods, with Mme. Dupuy, Antoine Bordes, retiring General Representative of the French Line in America, with Mme. Bordes; George Lauweryns, First Director of Orchestra of the Royal Theatre de la Monnaie in Brussels, and of the Opera at Monte Carlo, who has been directing for Mary Garden on her recent concert tour; Count Louis de Montgomery, amateur golf champion of France, with Countess de Montgomery; Captain Emile Lombard, Military Attaché, Jean Boyer, Financial Attaché, and Mrs. C. A. Le Neveu, Commercial Attaché, all of the French Embassy, Washington; Hon. Mr. E. Nagler, French Consul-General at Montreal.

Other Passengers on the Paris.

Others in the long list of passengers are: Albert Breton, Vice President Guaranty Trust Company; Major B. H. Namm, with Mrs. Namm and family; Casimir Michaut, President French Industrial Hotel Association, with Mme. Michaut; Senator Le Grand C. Tibbits of Troy, N. Y.; Mrs. Henri Von Heukelom, daughter of Henry Seligman, the banker; E. P. Hotchkiss, Mrs. Darnes, owner of the Hotel des Deux Mondes, Paris; Countess d'Ivry and daughter, Miss D. d'Ivry; Countess de Solignac-Fenelon, Gerald Murphy, with Mrs. Murphy, Captain Thiery Mallet, President Revillon Freres; the Rev. Sister Marie Eleonor, Superior of the French Hospital; Mrs. Robert Toland and the Misses Fanny B. Coleman, Eugenia Kelso Cassatt and Christine W. Biddle, all of Philadelphia, on their way to India for an extended tour; Florence O'Neill and Jesse Winburn, writers and correspondents; Dr. Philip Kilroy of Springfield, Mass.; James Charles Craft, banker; Mrs. Mary Mather, New York, and her son, who wears the Croix de Guerre, awarded for war work in France; Edgar Wace, director Administration Credit Commercial de France, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. George de Karlowski, Mrs. Madison B. Corey, Mrs. Julian Marks, Miss Nancy Marks, Mrs. Charles A. Potter, Miss M. M. Cox, Miss Frances L. Sullivan and Mrs. Ella Brennan, all of Philadelphia; Mrs. Louise E. W. Jones and Miss Mabel Callender of Scranton, and a Japanese military mission, including Lieutenant T. Murai, Lieutenant H. Kato, Lieutenant S. Senda and K. Kondo.

Bound for Italy.

Some of the passengers sailing today for Naples and Genoa on the Lloyd Sabaudo liner Conte Rosso are Mrs. Agnes Bailey, Mrs. W. E. Barnes, Mrs. Charles S. Burton, Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Butler, Miss Grace Butler, Commander Dr. G. Cerio, and Mrs. Cerio, Dr. W. W. Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cory, Jane Cory, Mr. and Mrs. G. Crompton, Davis Crompton, Antonio De Bellis, Mrs. E. C. Doble, Mrs. C. G. Edgar, Mrs. D. M. Elliott, Miss Katherine and Margaret Elliott, Ciutra Ellis, Mrs. William S. Ellis, Miss A. B. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. T. Ewart, Marion Ferguson, Dr. W. Forgo, Mrs. L. J. Forsaith, Mrs. C. F. Foster, Mrs. Peter Gibson, Mrs. W. R. Gifford, Ruth Goss, Mrs. H. O. Hastings, Miss A. F. G. Jarvie, James M. Jarvie, Dr. Edwin Jenks and Mrs. Jenks, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Judson, Mrs. P. Kelly Jr., Professor P. T. Lafleur, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Latzke, Mrs. G. M. MacNeill, Walter B. Manny and Mrs. Manny, Mr. and Mrs. Mathion H. Marlin, Dr. E. Maselli and Mrs. Maselli, the Rev. Francis Matoñe, Mrs. John McArthur, Marie McDonald, Agnes M. McKenzie, Mrs. John R. Morron, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mundt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Norman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Raegner, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. F. Schwarzenbach, Mr. and Mrs. N. Totreault, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Wilson and M. O'Donnoghue.

Passengers on the George Washington.

Among the passengers sailing today for Bremen via Plymouth and Cherbourg on the George Washington of the United States Lines are:

Colonel A. L. Briggs of the United States Army; James V. Bryson of Universal Pictures and his wife; Leon Kimberly and Mrs. Kimberly, vaudeville artists; Erich Sedlak, who is on his way to Vienna to look over the latest foreign offerings in smokers' articles; Walter M. Ronalds of the Metropolitan Opera Company; Mrs. Hazel V. Jessen, an Attaché of the United States Consul General's Office at Berlin.

Among the New Yorkers who have engaged passage on the George Washington are: Milton Adams, S. Biermann, Miss Marianne C. Boos, Albert Ladd Colby, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Day, Mr. and Mrs. H. Droesso, Mrs. Anna Eckel, Moses W. Epstein, Mrs. M. Framann, Max Henkels, Professor Dr. Paul Hirsch, V. K. Kellogg, Otto Klopser, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manny, D. W. Munson, J. Stacy Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rochester, Irving Stringer, W. E. Tarrant, Henry Well.

Tourists Going to London.

The list of the President Van Buren of the United States Lines sailing today for London via Queenstown, Plymouth and Cherbourg includes Dr. C. Andersen, B. L. Barringer and Miss E. V. Barringer, Mr. and Mrs. Lt. W. Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ives Cobb, Miss A. Dunning, Mrs. S. A. Heasley, Dr. H. Hunziker, Dr. L. Kuhn, Dr. N. V. Lathlan, Mrs. Bertha H. Manilly, Dr. Marsew, Misses E. and Sarah O'Boyle, Dr. C. Porter, Dr. Prigos, Miss Grace Readman, Captain and Miss Rudd, Dr. M. M. Seymour, Dr. Slonewski, Dr. W. Vooykoft, Howard E. Webb and F. Harold Woodhouse.

Some of the passengers arriving yesterday from Liverpool and Queenstown on the Cunarder Laconia were Major C. S. Stumpert, General Manager of the Southwestern Docks in Southampton, England, who has come here to attend a conference upon transportation this week; Dr. H. J. T. Thacker, ex-Lord Mayor of Christchurch, New Zealand, who has been in Europe for nine months and is now on his way home; Miss Mary T. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cheever, Leonard Binns, W. A. Daniell, G. Leonard Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Barton Kidelson, Dr. H. R. Kent, S. Cunningham, William Watts, S. W. Winslow, Mrs. L. G. Scott, B. F. Sargent Jr. and Laurence Montgomery.

BUSINESS WORLD

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday—5 to 5¼% for the best names.
Monday—5 to 5¼% for the best names.
The quotations are for six months' paper.

To Show Bolivias Again.

Despite the unsatisfactory market for bolivias this Fall, it is understood that the mills recognized as leaders in their production will again show them in their lines for next Fall. They will, however, have the market more to themselves than for some time past. Many of the mills which made cheap bolivias this Fall will drop them. In fact, there has already been a marked reduction in the number making these cloths. The comment was made yesterday that those mills which had to have finishing done outside their plants found it particularly unprofitable to make bolivias this season. Stocks in the hands of the mills and cutters now have been materially reduced. This, with the narrowing of production to a smaller number of mills, will, it is claimed, make market conditions much more satisfactory. Consumer favor, it is believed, will be given the coatings, as nothing has been developed yet to take their place.

Importer Gets Benefit of Doubt.

An important principle in customs law is believed to have been established in a decision handed down yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers. In the decision, dealing with the classification under the new tariff act of ornamental steel shoe buckles, Judge Sullivan held that where the construction of the statute is doubtful the importer is entitled to the benefit of the doubt. Heretofore the rulings have held the Government is entitled to the advantage in cases where doubt exists. The decision of the board in the specific case yesterday was that the elaborate buckles, valued at more than 50 cents per hundred, were dutiable under paragraph 346 at 15 cents per hundred, plus 20 per cent. ad valorem. In view of the importance of the decision, it is believed that the Government will seek a review of the case.

More Demand for Twills.

A stronger demand for worsted dress goods is reported by sellers here. Twills are moving better, the light sports shade for suits leading in the request. Opening prices on these goods have been maintained by the mills, and, as a result of the present renewed request jobbers are holding quotations firmer. Twill cords for suits and coats are also in keener demand. The lustrous worsteds, particularly the well-known high-grade weave of the type, have been in strong demand all through the season. The mill making the weave in question has had more orders offered than it could take care of.

Palm Beach Garment Trends.

In the early Palm Beach garment showings interest centres upon coats having both bold and shadow stripes. According to the fabric news bulletin issued by the Botany Worsted Mills yesterday, the former are well in the lead. "Stripes," the bulletin says, "continue their appeal, being elaborately worked up into sections with square or oblong inserts. Color values are skillfully heightened. Fur collars are regarded as no longer essential, but when used bear indirect relation to texture and color. Handloom tweeds of the highest grade and least conventional styling are making rapid headway. When plain coatings are used, the texture is enhanced by a new sleeve inset, marking a return to the wide armhole of new raglan cut. Kasha cloth is featured to some extent for loose line and cape back coats with braid bindings."

Demand for Worsted Yarns.

The improvement in the demand for worsted yarns is indicated in the reports that during November one representative yarn house sold over 400,000 pounds, while a leading knitting yarn spinner did a business of over 500,000 pounds in the same month. Owing to the advances in prices of outerwear knit yarns, however, the buying of these has fallen off somewhat, but is expected to improve later. The men's wear trade is said to be doing more buying, particularly of vigoreux and fancy mixes. Some new dress goods business is coming in, and specifications are being made on orders for various specialties in hosiery yarns are selling.

Sherwin-Williams Men to Meet.

What was said yesterday will be the largest and most pretentious educational gathering in the history of the paint and varnish industry will take place in Chicago on Dec. 17, 18, 19 and 20, when the annual conference of sales executives and representatives of the Sherman-Williams Company will be held at the Congress Hotel. About a thousand men from all parts of the country will attend, and eight special trains of Pullmans will carry them to the convention city. Luncheons especially arranged by the Pullman company will be served en route. The "special" leaving from this city will pull out of the Grand Central Station at 5:30 P. M. on Saturday, and will be joined at Albany by one starting from Boston. An interesting feature of the convention will be an exhibit containing 6,000 active formulas used by the company. G. M. Martin, President of the company, will be Chairman of the convention, and H. D. Whittlesey, Vice President and Managing Director of Sales, will act as Vice Chairman.

Are Making Sweaters Now.

Several of the knitting mills that heretofore devoted their entire efforts to the production of underwear have now turned to making sweaters, for which the present demand is larger than that for the other merchandise. Sweaters can be knitted easily, it was said yesterday, on the 10-cut and 12-cut machines used for underwear, although more care is required on the part of the operative. Most of the sweaters turned out are brushed, and all of them are of the coat type. Some of them are part wool, but at present, at least, the bulk of them is all cotton. Up to yesterday five more or less prominent mills were known to have gone in for sweater making, and others may follow if the underwear demand does not improve in the near future.

Some Gray Goods Prices Low.

Lower printcloth prices than those accepted for some time were taken by certain second hands in the local gray goods market yesterday. Most of these goods were sold early in the day, before the recovery in cotton became marked, and were thought to be let out in order to "clear the decks" for 1924. The business included spot lots of 38½-inch 64-60s at 19⅝ cents and of 39-inch 68-72s at 12⅝ cents. These figures were not the market, however, as other second hands were said to be asking more for them. First-hand asking prices were considerably above them. For 38½-inch 60-48s 9¼ cents was the more or less general price. Trading in sheetings was not active, although more inquiries were reported than on Monday. In the business actually done were sales of 36-inch 56-60 four-yard sheetings at 13¼ cents.

Wide Sheeting Prices Advanced.

Prices on Mohawk and Utica wide sheetings for December, January and February deliveries were made yesterday by Taylor, Clapp & Beall. The Mohawk sheetings were priced on the basis of 63 cents for the 10-4 bleached goods, while the Utica fabrics were based on 70 cents for the 10-4 bleached goods in that line. The new prices of both show advances of 5 cents over the last previous quotations. Sheets and pillow cases were advanced proportionately, but none of the goods was said to be advanced in proportion to the present cost of cotton.

Men's Shoe Business Uneven.

Judging from reports emanating from the men's shoe trade, the advance business for Spring that has been taken to date varies considerably with the different manufacturers. Some of them appear quite pessimistic, but in other quarters a more optimistic note is sounded. The manufacturer of one of the best-known lines in the country, for instance, reports his advance Spring sales to be about 25 per cent. ahead of last year at this time, despite the fact that very few orders have yet been placed by important buyers in the metropolitan district. There has been no change in the type or color of the shoes that are most in demand. Oxfords have the call, especially in the lighter tan shades.

THIS YEAR TO SEE RECORD IN BUILDING

Permits for November Throughout the Country Reached a Total of $245,937,243.

$3,125,000,000 FOR THE YEAR

This Is Seven Times the Figure for 1918 and Nearly Double That for 1921.

Building permits calling for construction valued at $245,937,243 were issued in the United States last month, according to records compiled by Bradstreet's. The figure covers reports received from 160 cities of a total of 176 regularly reporting to the agency. It compares with a total of $275,615,943 in 176 cities reported in October and with $200,080,543 reported from 160 cities in November, 1922.

The above figures, according to the review, indicate a reduction of 7.4 per cent. from October, but a gain of 22.9 per cent. over the month of November a year ago. The Southern group is the only one reporting a gain over October, whereas the Southwestern group is the only one reporting a decrease from November a year ago.

Following is the summary for last month and for October:

	November, 1923.	October, 1923.
New England	$10,592,075	$13,517,155
Middle Atlantic	102,825,484	103,854,103
Central western	55,673,381	51,706,875
Northwestern	13,874,198	14,333,063
Southwestern	11,365,667	11,689,521
Southern	23,209,627	21,290,229
Far Western	28,396,823	39,186,001
Total U. S.	$245,937,243	$265,667,057
Canada	5,748,974	12,227,670

The appended table of building expenditures by months covers the period during which construction in the United States broke all earlier records.

	1923	1922
Jan., 164 cities	$194,782,219	$141,791,402
Feb., 164 cities	221,826,741	136,274,184
Mar., 165 cities	377,831,286	243,531,710
First quar.	$794,440,246	$521,597,296
April, 165 cities	$327,605,953	$217,912,121
May, 165 cities	283,044,107	245,725,040
June, 166 cities	239,613,179	251,156,739
Second quar.	$830,263,239	$717,793,900
Six months	$1,624,703,485	$1,239,391,202
July, 167 cities	$224,078,090	$206,359,995
Aug., 168 cities	245,604,065	221,806,566
Sept., 168 cities	220,707,667	201,706,952
Third quar.	$690,389,822	$629,963,513
Nine months	$2,315,093,307	$1,869,354,715
Oct., 176 cities	$275,615,943	$210,685,263
Nov., 160 cities	245,937,243	200,080,543

"There is indicated above a total value of building for eleven months of $2,837,000,000," according to the report, "a gain of 24.4 per cent. over the like period of last year, and to this extent the greatest volume of building ever recorded at the country's leading cities. As the disposition seems to be to push building throughout the coming Winter—the New York building trades have announced the maintenance of the present scale of wages for another year—the outlook, providing December keeps up the November pace, is for a total expenditure in 1923 of $3,125,000,000, as against about $2,500,000,000 in 1922 and $1,638,282,194 in 1921. There is here indicated a total not far from double that of 1921 and about seven times the total recorded in the year 1918, when building was a so-called non-essential industry."

BUYS IN THEATRE AREA.

Messmore Kendall Assembles Valuable West Side Plot.

Messmore Kendall has purchased through Edward A. Arnold, as broker the five-story apartment building 246 West Fifty-first Street, on a lot 20 by 100.5. This piece of property adjoins on the west a plot of 88 feet between it and the Capitol Theatre, already owned by Mr. Kendall, the increased plot now having a frontage of 108 feet on this street. Abutting this plot on the rear and running through to West Fiftieth Street, Mr. Kendall owns 231 to 245 West Fiftieth Street, giving a frontage of 168 feet. The entire plot now has an area of approximately 30,000 square feet. The plot will be held for investment.

Third Avenue Corners in Deal.

V. Green & Company sold 536 Third Avenue, 23 by 100, to Joseph Huszar, who will occupy the store; also 552 Third Avenue to Fred H. Fabian, who has occupied the premises for the last thirty-seven years.

This is the fourth sale on this block within the last two weeks and completes the resale of the block by the seller, which they purchased from the University, with the exception of 548 Third Avenue.

Garfiel & Moll have purchased from the Archer estate the southwest corner of 114th Street and Third Avenue, 25 by 100. It will be either sold or leased for a long period.

W. E. D. Stokes Sells Houses.

The Wood-Dolson Company, Inc., sold for W. E. D. Stokes 251 and 253 West Seventy-fifth Street, 37.6 by 100, with two four-story houses, and 242 to 248 West Seventy-sixth Street, adjoining the corner of Broadway, 75 by 102.2, improved with four four-story dwellings. The purchaser is George C. Engel, owner of the Hotel Willard, adjoining, at West End Avenue and Seventy-sixth Street. By this purchase Mr. Engel has a plottage of 150 feet on Seventy-sixth Street and 85 feet on Seventy-fifth Street, together with the hotel property on West End Avenue.

Buying Loft Buildings.

Philip Menschel sold the six-story-and-basement loft building on a lot 25 by 100 at 54 West Twenty-second Street, between Fifth and Sixth Avenues. This property was fully tenanted and rents for $14,000, and was held at $75,000. Bernard Dorf, a warehouse man, is the buyer. Lowenfeld & Luxenberg were the brokers.

Howard A. Raymond sold to a client of Phineas Lewinson the loft building 148-150 Greene Street.

Bronx Apartment Planned.

Samuel Minskoff purchased from Elise Jewett, the plot 150 by 150 at the southwest corner of Kingsbridge Road and 196th Street. Mr. Minskoff immediately turned the corner over to his brother, Saul Minskoff, who will erect on this site a six-story elevator apartment house from plans by Margon & Glaser.

Loan Association Buys Plot.

M. & L. Hess, Inc., sold for James E. Tower the four-story dwelling on a lot 16 by 46 by 75 feet at 443 Lexington Avenue to the Railroad Co-operative Building and Loan Association. It was held at $125,000.

FOR WIDER STATE ROADS.

Commissioner Grossman Predicts 24-Foot Highways in Future.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 11.—Main highways of the State eventually will be increased to twenty-four feet in width, Highways Commissioner Grossman said today at a conference of organizations interested in good roads, and particularly in the proposed new State road map. Routing of main arteries of traffic around large cities, to avoid traffic congestion, generally was approved.

Representatives of the Dairymen's League, American Society of Civil Engineers, State Automobile Association, State Motor Federation and Farm Bureau Federation generally approved the new Hewitt road map, suggesting changes to meet local conditions.

APARTMENT HOUSE SALES.

Max Natanson Purchases Two East Side Properties.

Max N. Natanson purchased from the Fay Holding Corporation 106 and 108 East 124th Street, two five-story tenements, each on a lot 25 by 100, and 1,991 to 1,997 Second Avenue, four five-story tenements, each on a lot 25 by 100. The property was held at $175,000 and was purchased for all cash. E. J. Welling was the broker in the transaction.

The property at 106 and 108 East 124th Street has been resold by the purchaser to Chalmowitz & Carroll for all cash. E. J. Welling was the broker in the resale.

Charles W. Wynne and Louis H. Low purchased from Judge Thomas C. Kadien the northwest corner of 101st Street and Manhattan Avenue, a six-story apartment house and stores, laid out in suites of 4 and 5 rooms, renting for $12,000.

The property was held at $80,000. The Haggstrom Callen Company negotiated the transaction.

The Alcalde Realty Corporation, Thomas J. Meehan, President, sold to the Cosmos Holding Corporation, the northwest corner of Fourth and Tenth Streets, in the Greenwich Village section, a five-story apartment house, with seven stores, on a plot approximately 30 by 85, having a rental value of close to $12,000. The premises are known as 284 West Fourth Street and 185 to 189 West Tenth Street.

Tropauer & Spero sold for the estate of Albert W. J. Petrie two six-story apartment houses at 112 to 118 West 117th Street, being 100 feet west of Lenox Avenue, on a plot 100 by 100.

The purchaser is the Reliant Leasing Company, Michael Retzker, President.

Charles A. DuBois sold for Anthony Esposito to a client for investment the five-story triple flat, with stores, at the northwest corner Amsterdam Avenue and 140th Street, on a lot 25.6 by 100.

The estate of Wolf Boroschek sold to Philip Menschel four walk-up tenements, on a plot 100 by 100 at 325 to 331 East Seventieth Street, between First and Second Avenues. The houses are laid out in five-room suites, accommodating thirty-two families. The property was held at $82,500. Lowenfeld & Luxenberg were the brokers.

Porter & Co., in conjunction with Slawson & Hobbs, have sold to Herman Lange the two five-story apartment houses at 217 and 219 West 100th Street, near Broadway.

OPERATOR IN DEALS.

Journire Silverman Buys and Sells Multifamily Houses.

Journire Silverman purchased from Edward Cornell the northwest corner of 107th Street and Central Park West, improved with a five-story walk-up on a plot 40 by 100 feet. The building rents for $17,000 and has been held at $100,000. The brokers in the deal were the Duross Company.

The same operator sold through John Peters to Arthur McConnell 306 and 308 West 145th Street, two apartment houses, 25 by 100 each, renting for $10,000 and held at $62,000. He also sold 222 to 226 East Forty-sixth Street, three five-story buildings, 56 by 100 feet, and one rear factory building with two stories on a plot 130 by 115 feet. The buildings rent for $12,000 and have been held at $85,000.

Mr. Silverman also sold to a client of Alexander Ackerson 554 West 132d Street, a five-story walk-up on lot 25 by 100 feet, renting for $6,000 and held at $34,000.

NEW FUR CENTRE PROJECT.

Investor Acquires West Side Site for Big Loft.

The Fur Merchants Cold Storage Company, Inc., sold to an investing client of the Blurose Realty Brokers, Inc., 245-247-249 West Twenty-seventh Street, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, in the centre of the active fur trades section. The property, which comprises a plot 75 by 98.9 feet, is now covered by three four-story brick tenements and will probably be improved in the near future with a substantial loft building to house the fur industries. The sellers held the property at $122,000.

Leaving Save New York Zone.

John Howes Burton, Chairman of the Save New York Committee, announced the removal of several more manufacturers from the Save New York zone and a number of others who have signed leases in other sections outside the shopping district. With these removals, Mr. Burton says, there will be approximately only fifteen plants remaining in the Save New York zone.

The latest concerns to remove from the section elsewhere are Freiman Brothers, Inc., furs, 24 West Thirty-ninth Street, to 30 West Twenty-fourth Street; Friss Brothers, furs, 120 West Thirty-second Street, to 115 West Twenty-seventh Street; Gindlin Brothers, furs, 1,268 Broadway, to 6 West Twenty-ninth Street; Stiff, Ephraim, furs, 28 to 32 West Thirty-sixth Street, to 501 Sixth Avenue, and Kraus, McKeever & Adams, leather goods, 29 West Thirty-eighth Street, to 36 East Thirty-first Street.

Those who have signed leases to move elsewhere follow: John Traina, dresses, 51 West Thirty-sixth Street to 224 West Thirty-fifth Street; FreundMich, Heller & Cobiltz, Inc., furs, 36 West Thirty-eighth Street, to 44 West Twenty-eighth Street; S. Weingold & Brother, furs, 29 West Thirty-sixth Street, to 146 West Twenty-ninth Street; Louis Baer Company, underwear, 39 West Thirty-eighth Street, to 13 East Thirtieth Street; Clara Rumm, dresses, 30 East Thirty-third Street, to 230 West Thirty-eighth Street, and Drours & Dreyfuss, coats and suits, 24 East Thirty-third Street, to 224 West Twenty-fifth Street.

Dwelling House Sales.

James L. Van Sant resold to Samuel Richardson 101A West 136th Street, a three-story dwelling, 16.8 by 100. The property is 75 feet west of Lenox Avenue, and brought a record price for a dwelling in that section, the price being $20,000.

Haines, Van Nostrand & Morrison, Inc., have sold for the United States Trust Company the five-story American-basement house at 57 East Eighty-second Street on a lot 16 by 100.4.

Frederick Zittell & Sons, Inc., sold for the Thomas M. Morgan estate 226 West Seventy-ninth Street, a three-and-one-half-story high-stoop dwelling, lot 18 by 100, adjoining Broadway, to a client for occupancy. The house was held at $40,000.

Buys Estate Near Montclair.

Eugene V. Connett Jr. sold his country place at Convent, near Morristown, N. J., consisting of about four acres of land, with Colonial frame house, garage and outbuildings. The property has been purchased by J. Brooks Nichols of Rosemont, Pa., who intends occupying it after extensive alterations. Pease & Elliman were the brokers.

R. E. L. Howe Jr. sold for Lawrence S. Harbor an English stucco residence on Lynton Place, Anderson Park, White Plains, N. Y., to George M. Waugh of Scarsdale. The property was held at $12,500.

Brooklyn Auction Result.

The Jere Johnson Jr. Company, Fred B. Snow, auctioneer, sold yesterday at public auction in the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange, 189 Montague Street, the Jr. O. U. A. M. Building at 279 and 281 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, to Edward M. Campbell for $34,000.

The building consists of a double store, ball room, lodge rooms, &c., and is a three-story front and rear structure on a plot 44 by 100.

BUSINESS NOTES.

G. W. Rylander, formerly with the Joseph Horne Company, Pittsburgh, is now buyer of Oriental rugs for Bozza & Buhl, Pittsburgh, with local offices at 1,140 Broadway.

Frank Katz of the Frank Katz Hat Company, 731 Broadway, has bought out the interest of his brother, Jack Katz, in the concern. The latter has severed all connections with the firm and is making his temporary offices at 790 Broadway.

LATEST DEALINGS IN REALTY FIELD

Max Aronson, Builder, Pays Record Price for Garment Centre Realty.

$5,000 A FRONT FOOT

Plot Located on 38th St. Will Be Improved With 15-Story Commercial Loft Building.

That real estate values in the new garment centre located between Thirty-fifth and Fortieth Streets, Seventh and Eighth Avenues, are still far below their peak and are advancing almost daily, was shown yesterday in the purchase by Max Aronson, a pioneer builder in the district, of a plot on Thirty-sixth Street for a figure very close to $5,000 a front foot.

This is said to be a record high price for side street property in the district which a few years ago could have been purchased for a fifth of this figure.

The property purchased yesterday by Mr. Aronson for $270,000 is known as 241, 243 and 245 West Thirty-sixth Street. It consists of three old brick dwellings, on a plot 55.6 feet by 100 feet, adjoining the twelve-story Aronson Building, covering the plot, 115.6 by 100 feet, from 229 to 239.

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MADISON AV., 645-3 rooms, bath; non-housekeeping apartment; moderate rental.

MURRAY HILL, EAST 36TH ST.—Beautifully furnished four-room apartment, $275. Lee & Carter, 665 5th Av. Plaza 9836.

PARK AVENUE.
Most unusual small apartment, southern exposure throughout; exquisitely furnished; lease or sale or lease to responsible individual; inspection by appointment. Vanderbilt 9848.

PARK AV.
Bargain; going abroad immediately; exquisitely furnished, duplex, 2 bedrooms, large studio, living room; including servants' limousine; complete, reasonable; appointment only; no agents. Tel. Vanderbilt 4096.

PARK AV., 471—Handsomely furnished small sunny apartment, 3 large rooms, foyer, kitchen, all outside; $300 monthly; June 1 or longer. Waring. Plaza 7875. Mornings.

PARK AV., 940 (corner 81st)—Elegantly furnished, 7 sunny rooms, 3 baths; 3 rooms, 1 bath; service unexcelled.

IMMEDIATELY—My unusual apartment, 10 windows, 5 facing south, 9 cedar closets, large living room, about 25x20; beautiful sunny bedroom, 20x30, with 10-piece bedroom suites; dressing room, small kitchen; paying $300; will sublet until June; concession. 44 East 60th St.

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ELEVATOR apartment, 6 large rooms and bath, all improvements; west side Madison Av., near 85th. Phone Rhinelander 1426.

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Furnished—West Side.

57TH AV., 178—Studio apartment, three large rooms, foyer, kitchenette, bath; dressing room; lease. Miller, 3818 Gramercy.

10TH—Apartment, three rooms, kitchenette, bath, piano; $130. Ellerson, 25 West 42d.

11TH, 10 WEST—Completely furnished two rooms, large living room, kitchenette and bath, open fireplace; opposite church; third and fourth stairs from entrance; made for unfurnished Madison Square 8787.

12TH ST., WEST—Bachelor apartment, 3 rooms, shower, kitchenette. Call Columbus 2187.

16TH, 51 WEST (Old Chelsea)—Charming 2 rooms, $85; Colonial, quaint, fireplaces, steam, attractive, artistic; professional people.

213D ST., 438 WEST (near Broadway)—Delicately furnished rooms, bath, all modern improvements; $35. Inquire janitor.

51ST, 4 WEST (WOLCOTT HOTEL)—PARLOR, BEDROOM, BATH, $7 TO $8 PER DAY; $35 TO $50 PER WEEK.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—West Side.

44TH, WEST—Lady alone, share apartment; business lady. Call evening, Lackawanna 6842.

45TH, 341 WEST (HILDONA COURT)—Elevator apartments, 1, 2 and 3 rooms and bath; showers; kitchen; kitchenette; all newly furnished and decorated; $20 to $50 weekly. Longacre 3560.

47TH, 130 WEST—3 rooms, kitchenette and bath; completely furnished; centrally located.

48TH, 30 WEST—Sunny, cheerful apartment; much better than the average; 2 rooms, bath, lease. Darrah. Bryant 2767.

50TH ST., 4 WEST—Three large rooms, bath, kitchenette; comfortably furnished; low price; lease October, 1924.

51ST, 306 WEST—Beautiful 4-room apartment in high-class elevator apartment house; reasonable.

52D ST., 223 WEST (CORNER BROADWAY)—MODERN ELEVATOR APARTMENT HOUSE, NEWLY FURNISHED; HOTEL SERVICE; ONE ROOM, BATH, $70 UP; TWO ROOMS, BATH, $100 UP; REFERENCES REQUIRED.

54TH, 22 WEST—Large 1, 2 rooms, kitchenette, bath; heat guaranteed; service.

54TH, 22 WEST—Large, light rooms; 3 Riverside Drive, large, light rooms.

55TH, 355 WEST—2 large rooms, bath, kitchenette; southern exposure; fireproof building; switchboard service; restaurant, operator; restaurant. Pierce. Columbus 8321.

55TH, 25 WEST—3 rooms, kitchenette, service; bachelors, business women; fireplace; $175.

55TH, 55 WEST—Furnished 8-room apartment, newly decorated; 6 months. Supt.

55TH ST., 16 WEST—Elevator apartment, 2 rooms, kitchenette, bath; $160. Laval.

56TH, 208 WEST.
HOTEL THORNDYKE.
VERY ATTRACTIVE TWO-ROOM SUITE, WITH PRIVATE BATH; SPECIAL WEEKLY RATE; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

56TH—Elevator apartment, four rooms, bath, two bedrooms; handsomely furnished; piano; sacrifice, $270 month. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

57TH ST., WEST—Duplex apartment of 2 master bedrooms, with private baths, dining room, living room, library, kitchen, maid's room if desired; finished in Spanish style and beautifully furnished. Butler & Baldwin, Inc., 15 East 47th St. Vanderbilt 5012.

57TH, 118 WEST (GREAT NORTHERN HOTEL)—PARLOR, BEDROOM, BATH, $7.50-$15 PER DAY.

57TH ST., 340 WEST (near Broadway)—High-class modern elevator apartments; 2-3 rooms, bath; maid service; $100 monthly up.

59TH, 38 WEST—Sublet, overlooking Park; two and three room, kitchenette apartments; special rates; one month or year.

61ST, 18 WEST (corner of Broadway, Hotel Majestic)—Beautifully furnished one and two room suites, $15 up; private bath; overlooking Central Park; $25 to $40 weekly. $100 to $200 monthly; or lease for the year. Phone Columbus 7127.

64TH, 17 WEST—2-room apartment, beautifully furnished, new building. Apt. 4A.

65TH, 33 WEST—Front living room, bedroom, kitchen, bath; electricity; $22. Wallace.

65TH, 155 WEST—Five attractive rooms, bath; modern improvements; $23 weekly.

67TH—Magnificent 3-room elevator apartment, grand piano; unusual opportunity. Endicott 0278.

68TH, 59 WEST (near Broadway)—Exquisite rooms, bath, kitchen, newly decorated and furnished; $135; 9 months' lease.

69TH ST., 245 WEST (West End)—Apartments, 2 rooms, kitchenette and bath, nicely furnished, $75 up.

69TH ST., 19 WEST (Congress Hotel)—One-room suites; special rates; references.

70TH ST., 200 WEST—
THE GEORGIA (FACING BROADWAY).
MODERN NEWLY FURNISHED SUITES, 2 AND 3 ROOMS, $25-$30 WEEKLY.

71ST, 167 WEST (near Broadway, at subway station)—Newly, beautifully furnished 2 rooms and bath, $100 per month; finest location on the west side; must be seen to be appreciated; by month or year; references required.

71ST, 342 WEST—Eight furnished rooms, two baths; also unfurnished. Apply Supt.

72D, 46 WEST — MOST LUXURIOUSLY FURNISHED TWO-ROOM SUITES, PRIVATE BATH, COMPLETE SEPARATE KITCHENETTE DISHES, LINEN, SILVER; WEEKLY OR MONTHLY.

72D, 42 WEST (Royalton Apartment Hotel)—Attractively furnished 2-room suites, bath; service; restaurant; by month or year; from $115 per month up. Endicott 7941.

72D, 118 WEST (H. TELEARLTON)—VERY DESIRABLE 1, 2 AND 3 ROOMS AND BATH, WEEKLY OR MONTHLY. ENDICOTT 8545.

73D, 140 WEST—LUXURIOUSLY FURNISHED 2-ROOM SUITE, PRIVATE TILE BATH, SEPARATE KITCHEN; WEEKLY, MONTHLY; REASONABLE.

73D—Four-room apartment, outside, new building, magnificently furnished; bargain. Endicott 1278.

73D, 47 WEST—Two-room apartment, kitchen, private bath, all improvements; reasonable.

74TH, AT BROADWAY (Hotel Prisament)—Beautiful rooms, private bath, in high-class apartment hotel; sublet reasonable. Room 1201.

74TH, 133 WEST—Furnished unfurnished, second floor, two rooms, kitchenette, bath; $100.

74TH, 103 WEST—Two rooms with kitchen, bath; also small rooms.

75TH ST., 166 WEST (NEW EMERSON HOTEL)—OUTSIDE SINGLE ROOMS AND SUITES WITH PRIVATE BATH, WITH OR WITHOUT MEALS; MODERATE RATES; SEVERAL APARTMENTS TO SUBLET.

75TH, 312 WEST—Immense studio; combination living room, extra dressing room; elegantly furnished; southern exposure; kitchen; maid service optional; unsurpassed; suitable one or two people only; also beautiful 2-room apartment.

75TH, 24 WEST—Handsome, large living room, bedroom combined; bath, kitchenette; grand piano; $115. Lawrence.

75TH—Beautiful two-room, bath, complete kitchenette, front apartment; $125. Endicott 6546.

75TH ST., 23 WEST—Magnificent parlor apartment, real kitchen; bath; refined persons; references.

75TH—2 room, bath (kitchenette arrangement), front apartment; $125. Endicott 0279.

77TH, 335 WEST (near Drive)—Attractive one, two-room suites; full service.

79TH, 213 WEST—Large room, studio, private entrance, bath; phone; fireplaces; kitchen.

80TH—Elevator apartment, five rooms, bath; grand piano; $200. Ellerson, 25 West 42d.

80TH ST., 100 WEST—2 rooms handsomely furnished, outside and sunny; hotel service; reasonable.

80TH, 249 WEST (corner Broadway)—One and two rooms with bath; very desirable.

82D, 61 WEST—1-2 ROOMS, BATH, KITCHENETTE. FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED; REASONABLE.

SMITH-GIBBONS, 503 5th Av. Vand. 0420.

85TH (facing Park)—3-room apartment, entire floor, gorgeously furnished. Endicott 1578.

86TH, 55 WEST—Attractive, beautifully furnished 3-room housekeeping apartment, exceptionally large living room or studio; 3 months.

86TH (near Broadway)—Attractive, well furnished 8-room elevator apartment. Schuyler 1223.

87TH, 208 WEST—Handsomely furnished 7-cated; immediate possession; family leaving town; reasonable. Berry.

88TH, 325 WEST—Nicely furnished first-class apartment, bath, kitchen; select; $90.

88TH, 308 WEST—Beautiful furnishings, living room, 2 bedrooms, bath, kitchen; $215.

90S—Beautiful four-room front apartment, two bedrooms, piano; $175. Endicott 6540.

90TH—Apartment seven rooms, bath, piano, $175. Elberon, 25 West 42d St.

91ST, 27 WEST—TWO ROOMS AND BATH, $160; ONE ROOM AND BATH, $45; MAID AND VALET SERVICE.

91ST, 27 WEST—TWO ROOMS AND BATH, $100; ONE ROOM AND BATH, $45; MAID AND VALET SERVICE.

92D ST., 60 WEST.
TWO ROOMS, BATH, $80 AND UP.
MAID AND VALET SERVICE.

92D, 306 WEST—2 unusual large, attractive rooms; bath; kitchenette; references.

94TH, 60 WEST—Nearly furnished large 2-room apartments, all conveniences; $100.

95TH (2,534 Broadway, Ordway)—One and three rooms, bath; service. Riverside 4753.

96TH ST., 42 WEST—Large room, kitchen, bath; improvements; $68. Housekeeper.

98TH, 305 WEST (SCHUYLER ARMS)—Delightfully furnished clean; beautifully furnished, also unfurnished, newly decorated housekeeping apartment hotel.

2 rooms, kitchenette, $110 monthly.

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Full hotel services, including maid, linen, laundry, electricity, silverware, kitchen utensils, &c.

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101ST, 300 WEST (Apt. 2C)—Modern front living room, dining room, bedroom, real kitchen, bath; couple; $160. Riverside 8449.

102D, 304 WEST—High-class apartment, 2 nicely furnished rooms, bath, all modern conveniences or phone Academy 1647.

104TH, 201 WEST—Large front rooms, near bath, shower; gentleman, couple. Vincent.

106TH, 238 WEST—Luxuriously furnished; will sell furniture, lease. Patterson.

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Furnished—West Side.

106TH, 285 WEST—Elevator apartments, 4-5 rooms, light; nicely furnished, clean.

109TH (215 Manhattan Av.)—2, 3, 4, 5, 6 room housekeeping apartments, elevator and non-elevator; $60 up; references essential. Main office, 215 Manhattan Av. Academy 1647; 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.; open Sunday.

110TH, 410 WEST (corner Columbus Av.) CATHEDRAL PLAZA.
2 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $75 up.
3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $100 up.
High-class elevator apartment house.
References essential. Phone Academy 0613.
8 A. M. to 8 P. M. Open Sunday.

112TH, 250 WEST (Apt. 16)—6-room apartment, furnished; will sell

FURNISHED ROOMS.
East Side.

17TH, 118 EAST—Light, clean rooms, adjoining bath; steam; gentlemen; private. Kellogg.

27TH, 211 EAST (Hotel Madison) — Beautiful, outside, sunny rooms, bath, $15-$17.50 weekly; use of bath, $10.50-$15; block to Broadway and subway; full hotel service. Madison Square 1764.

29TH ST., 29 EAST (MARTHA WASHINGTON, A WOMAN'S HOTEL) — ROOMS WITH RUNNING WATER, $14 TO $18 WEEKLY FOR ONE PERSON; $17.50 TO $21 WEEKLY FOR TWO; ROOMS WITH PRIVATE BATH, $21 WEEKLY FOR ONE; $24.50 AND UP WEEKLY FOR TWO.

31ST ST.—FOR WOMAN OF HIGHEST TYPE, AN EXCEPTIONALLY ATTRACTIVE ROOM OR SUITE IN APARTMENT CONVENIENTLY LOCATED. MADISON SQUARE 8495.

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34TH, 46 EAST—Cheerful room, suitable two persons; next bath; maid service; continuous hot water; steam heated. Ashland 2827.

34TH (229 Lexington Av.)—Two large, light rooms for business woman. Byrne.

29TH, 29 EAST.
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52D, 18 EAST—Attractive large room, private bath; also single room. Plaza 10169.

53D, 50 EAST—Large room, private bath; one or two men; references.

55TH, 53 EAST.
Desirable double room, private bath; also single.

55TH, 56 EAST—Large, attractive rooms, with or without private bath; reference.

56TH AND 57TH AV. (HOTEL NETHERLAND)—ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, $17.50; WITH PRIVATE BATH, $28 PER WEEK.

56TH, 33 (Park Av.)—Attractive room; steam; gentlemen; references; exclusive. Plaza 3912.

60TH, EAST—Sitting room and bedroom, adjoining, for refined lady; southern exposure; private family. Rhinelander 6484.

60TH, 201 EAST—Two adjoining rooms, suitable for twp. O'Keefe.

60TH, 236 EAST—Small room, all conveniences; private house. Dr. Schneider.

71ST, 174 EAST—Attractive living room, bedroom, bath; private family. Rhinelander 2944.

81ST, near Park Av.—Room, gentleman. Phone Butterfield 3710.

83D, 119 EAST—Large, light room; steam heat, electricity. Connallan.

83D ST., at Madison Av. (Hotel Ashton)—Newly decorated, furnished rooms with use of bath, $12 weekly up; rooms with private bath, $15 weekly up; buses, surface cars, subway; full hotel service; restaurant.

129TH, 25 EAST—Two rooms, kitchenette; improvements; refined neighborhood; suitable business couple.

IRVING PLACE, 71—Room, private bath, suitable two gentlemen; references. Stuyvesant 7486.

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11TH, 120 WEST—Pleasant front single room; conveniences; private family. Stuart.

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Subway at door.
$15 PER WEEK FOR 2 PERSONS.
ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED OUTSIDE ROOMS, ADJOINING BATH; ALL HOTEL SERVICE. HOTEL CHELSEA. TEL. WATKINS 6200.

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39TH ST., 36 WEST—Single room, adjoining bath; steam heat, electricity, phone, service; immediate possession.

42D ST., 332 WEST—Nicely furnished, running water in rooms, electricity, $5-$8.

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An exclusive men's residence, having 1,000 outside sunny rooms, 1,000 baths in new 15-story building; $12-$18 weekly; special monthly rates; $2-$3 daily. Lackawanna 6900.

47TH ST., 106 WEST (RALEIGH HALL), A RESIDENCE FOR MEN.
Rooms equipped for real solid comfort; the service of the best; the atmosphere of a quiet, exclusive club.
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50TH, WEST—Young lady will share her parlor-bedroom, bath with congenial business girl. Circle 3853. Phillips.

50TH ST., 8 WEST.
Elegant room, bath, $11 weekly.

54TH, 20 WEST.
Attractive room; owner's home; breakfast; reference.

54TH, 20 WEST—Attractive large room, private bath, telephone, maid service.

56TH, 109-121 WEST—A FEW ROOMS WITH RUNNING WATER ON BACHELOR FLOOR; SHOWER AND BATH; HOTEL SERVICE; $14 PER WEEK.

57TH, 118 WEST (GREAT NORTHERN HOTEL)—ROOM AND BATH FROM $3.50 PER DAY UP.

61ST ST., 27 WEST—Room, running water, use of bath; high-class business gentleman in bachelor's apartment; $10 per week; references; permanent. O'Donnell.

68TH, 56 WEST—Hall room; select house; newly decorated; bath adjoining; $8.

68TH, 1 WEST (corner Central Park West)—Attractively furnished front room; elevator apartment; private phone; quiet; immaculate; prefer permanent business man.

69TH ST. (2,626 Broadway)—Newly furnished outside room; running water; all comforts of home; elevator apartment.

70TH ST., 200 WEST (THE GEORGIA; FACING BROADWAY)—MODERN, NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, $10 AND $12 WEEKLY; ALSO SUITES.

70TH, 135 WEST; 71ST, 87 WEST—Remodeled houses, attractive double rooms, baths; single; lavatory; continuous hot water; cleanliness.

70TH ST., 280 WEST—Double room, well furnished, with or without private bath; breakfast at low rates.

70TH, 329 WEST—Front room, twin beds, kitchenette, continuous hot water; reasonable.

70TH, 28 WEST—Parlor suite, bath; large room, bath; always hot water steam heat; small room, near bath.

70TH, 136 WEST — Attractively furnished large front room, running water, electricity.

71ST ST. (235 West End Av.)—Wonderfully furnished large room, twin beds, private bath; gentlemen preferred; owner's home.

71ST, 300 WEST (corner West End)—Attractive large, medium, private, baths; single; kitchenette.

71ST, 31 WEST (HOTEL JOYCE)—One, TWO ROOM SUITES, $12.50 WEEKLY UP.

71ST, 217 WEST—Desirable, adjoining bath, twin beds; running water; steam heat.

71ST, 118 WEST—Handsome double front room, gentlemen, business couple.

71ST, 10 WEST—Large, sunny, single room; bath; telephone; maid service; exclusive.

72D, WEST (Hotel Majestic)—Two large furnished rooms, bath, sublet Jan. 1 to Oct. 1. Write or phone for appointment, Apt. 805, Hotel Majestic.

72D, 158 WEST—Attractively furnished two rooms, bath, kitchenette, $135; opportunity, couple or gentlemen. Call Store, 2,063 Broadway.

72D, WEST—Gentleman, lovely room, next bath; private home; conveniences. Endicott 8257.

72D, 264 WEST—Large front room; twin beds; refined American home; references.

72D, 332 WEST—Beautiful room, facing Drive; private bath; references; $23.

72D, 129 WEST—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences. Endicott 9183.

72D, 30 WEST — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED FRONT PARLOR.

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West Side.

72D, 314 WEST—Attractive, single room; clean.

73D ST., 126 WEST (Hotel Nobleton)—Newly decorated, luxuriantly furnished 1, 2, 3 outside rooms, private bath, elevated, surface cars, subway; from $35 to $40 weekly; full hotel service; restaurant.

73D, 21 WEST—Elegantly furnished double room, private bath, electricity. 3287 Endicott.

73D, 252 WEST—Large room, private bath and dressing room; southern exposure.

74TH (3,138 Broadway; Apt. 2B)—Front room; running water, heat; homelike.

75TH 327 WEST—Splendidly furnished room, with, without bath; excellent service; reasonable.

75TH, 118 WEST—Desirable rooms; well furnished; all improvements; $8-$12; gentlemen.

76TH, 113 WEST—Inspect; bath, toilet in every room, single, double, apartments.

76TH, 282 WEST (near Broadway)—Very desirable room, steam heated, reasonable.

75TH, 321 WEST—Superior basement; street level; bath and kitchenette.

76TH, 120 WEST—Newly furnished rooms, some with private bath, some smaller rooms, all with kitchenettes; very reasonable.

76TH, 140 WEST—Large, sunny room, kitchenette; modern conveniences; $14; gentleman, couple.

76TH—4-room studio apartment; piano, Victrola; magnificently furnished; $175. Endicott 1278.

76TH, 153 WEST—Very desirable, newly furnished, private bath, twin beds, kitchenette.

76TH, 52 WEST—Large, sunny room, bath floor; select residence; gentleman; $12.

76TH, 42 WEST—Attractively furnished large room; private bath; twin beds.

76TH, 305 WEST—Attractive medium room, $12; skylight, $8; excellently kept house.

76TH, 30 WEST—Extra large room, private bath; use to appreciate; references.

77TH, 127 WEST—Handsomely appointed, newly renovated, decorated, neatly furnished, high-class single rooms, semi-private bath; must see to appreciate; rent reasonable.

77TH, 156 WEST—Large room; nicely furnished; second floor; also small room; hot water heating; references.

77TH, 120 WEST—Newly furnished, beautiful front parlor; piano; bath; suitable studio.

77TH, 154 WEST—Large room, $7; skylight, $5; electricity; phone; top floor.

78TH, 202 WEST—Attractive room, dressing room; running water; immaculate; $9. Jenkins.

80TH ST., 225 WEST—Gentlemen; unusual, outside, homelike; excellent view; every convenience; reasonable. Ayres, Schuyler 8125, pr. EN.

80TH ST., 130 WEST—Beautiful large room, private bath; board; Spanish family.

81ST ST., 51 WEST (Hotel Colonial)—Newly decorated, furnished rooms, with use of bath, $12 weekly up; rooms with private bath, $15 weekly up; convenient to all transportation; close to Park; restaurant.

81ST ST. AND COLUMBUS AV. (HOTEL ENDICOTT)—ROOMS WITH RUNNING WATER, USE OF BATH; $12 PER WEEK; LARGE DOUBLE ROOM WITH PRIVATE BATH; $21 PER WEEK.

81ST, 174 WEST—$5 upward; steam, electricity, kitchen privileges. Schuyler 1339. Lopatin.

81ST, 63 WEST—Single room with cultured family; every convenience; $7.50. Mc-Collum.

81ST, 168 WEST—Small, medium and large rooms, bath adjoining; electric; references.

81ST, 310 WEST—Large rooms, running water, every convenience, phone, electricity.

82D, 126 WEST (The Gables)—Double room, second floor; bath; phone in room; restaurant; business couple; Schuyler 0085.

82D, 20 WEST—Exceptional opportunity; double, also single room; owner's home; reference.

83D, 262 WEST (5W)—Attractive single, double rooms; newly furnished; light, cheerful; central; all conveniences; reasonable. Endicott 6838.

84TH, 57 WEST—Small room, well furnished; private family; gentleman; references. Reilly.

84TH, 66 WEST—Large, warm room; running water; phone; electricity; $10. Coon.

84TH, 320 WEST—Attractive room with private family; reasonable; all conveniences.

85TH, 206 WEST (4th floor West)—Large double front room, $12; single, adjoining, $7; kitchenette privileges. Schuyler 3618.

85TH (126 Riverside Drive)—Attractive outside room; lavatory; single, double; exclusive; seventh floor.

85TH, 60 WEST — Exceptionally furnished rooms, exclusive private residence, moderate; something different.

85TH, 330 WEST—Newly furnished, medium-sized room, $40 monthly. Apt. 2E.

86TH, 49 TO 53 WEST—DOUBLE AND SINGLE ROOMS; ALSO FRONT BASEMENT; PRIVATE BATH; COMPLETE KITCHENETTE.

86TH ST., 106 WEST.
Rooms with or without baths, kitchenettes.

86TH, 132 WEST—Large, attractive room, twin beds; well heated; exquisite service.

87TH, 21 WEST—Nicely furnished large room, kitchenette and bath; all improvements.

87TH, 53 WEST—Large single rooms, private bath, kitchenette; also basement; electricity.

87TH, 203 WEST—Charming front suite; adjoining bath; $16; $60 monthly. Panchen.

88TH, 73 WEST—Beautifully furnished single room, all conveniences; $7.50; also front room, suitable two, for people who appreciate cleanliness; small refined family; references. Emerson, Schuyler 6170.

88TH, 132 WEST—Desirable medium sunny room, all conveniences; reasonable; gentlemen; reference.

88TH, 173 WEST—Private house; attractive housekeeping suite; every convenience. Schuyler 70070.

88TH, 334 WEST—SINGLE ROOM; REASONABLE; REFERENCES.

90TH, 302 WEST—Attractive newly decorated furnished room; heat, electric, shower; private house; private family; gentleman. Schuyler 8911.

90TH, 318 WEST—Great opportunity; delightfully beautiful rooms, modern bath, exceptionally reasonable.

91ST, 251 WEST (corner Broadway)—Sunny, warm, medium room, cheerful outlook; reasonable. Park.

91ST, 268 WEST—Beautiful large room; running water; exclusive; gentlemen or couple.

92D, 75 WEST—Very attractive suite, living room, bedroom; entrance private; also two single rooms, connecting lavatory. Bocock.

92D, 60 WEST—Fresh, parlor; also medium sized room, kitchenette privileges; references.

92D, 306 WEST—1-2 attractive rooms, private bath, kitchenette privileges; references.

92D, 61 WEST—Room, twin beds, private bath; electricity; $15; hall room.

93D, 307 WEST—Elegant room and board; running water. Edmunds. Riverside 3970.

93D, 9 WEST—Attractive back parlor; running water, electricity; $14; refined home.

94TH, 173 WEST.
EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY
for the right party, gorgeously furnished room, suitable for couple; piano, Victrola; large kitchenette; all conveniences; adjoining bathroom.

94TH, 314 WEST—Quiet, comfortable home, charming double, twin beds, running water, $16; single, $10; option breakfast. Hampson.

95TH, 147 WEST—Attractive, large room, kitchenette, private bath, electricity, heat, phone.

96TH ST., 153 WEST—Large rooms with private bath; large kitchenettes; reasonable rent.

96TH, 20 WEST—Attractive single, double rooms; business women; private family; references.

96TH (West End Av.)—Single room; business girl; $8; references. Schuyler 1910.

96TH, 231 WEST—Handsome room, facing Broadway; running water; private family. Richmond.

96TH, 38 WEST—Beautifully furnished large room, private bath; all conveniences; reasonable.

97TH, 1 WEST (facing Central Park)—Elegantly furnished front rooms; steam heat; running water; elevator; $10 up weekly.

98TH, 254 WEST—Refined gentleman will find desirable, large room, running water, bath shower, steam heat. Apt. 7.

98TH (Broadway)—Large room, facing Broadway; $10; shower; elevator; gentleman. Riverside 7262.

99TH ST. (814 West End)—Attractive, homelike rooms; all conveniences; housekeeping; piano.

100TH, 219 WEST—Attractive, well furnished, bath adjoining; every convenience; 1st floor.

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STENOGRAPHER.

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SHIPPING CLERK, good education, willing worker; experienced preferred; excellent opportunity; apply by letter only. A. L. Lightner, 1 Madison Av.

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AUSTRIAN DAIMLER $3,500
MERCEDES $450
LANCIA $1,500
PIERCE "33" TOURING $800
CADILLAC TOURING $800
CADILLAC TOWN CAR $1,000
LOCOMOBILES TOURING $500
WINTON TOURING $600
MAXWELL TOURING $150
DANIELS LIMOUSINE $1,800
PACKARD LIMOUSINE $800
MARMON CARRIOLET $850
PACKARD SEDAN $2,500
DELAGE SEDAN $3,000
DORRIS SEDAN $2,500
Rolls-Royce of America, Inc., 58th St. and 8th Av.

MALE HELP WANTED.

Employment Agencies.

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AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, INC.
"LARGEST IN THE WORLD."
Downtown Office, 115 BROADWAY.
Uptown Office, 80 EAST 42D STREET.
Brooklyn Office, 50 COURT STREET. (At Boro Hall.)

SALESMAN—Thoroughly acquainted with Dept. Store Buyers of the country in Cloak, Suit and Dress Line; excellent opening; $10,000. $12,000.
MERCHANDISE MAN—Women's Specialty Shop experience; Cloak, Suit and Dress line; must be experienced; $4,000-$6,000.
MISC. DRAFTSMAN—Familiar with Elec. installation, sub-station and power house layout, switchboards, elec. switching and generators; $2,750-$3,000.
SENIOR ACCOUNTANTS — Several years' Public experience; locate in Reading, Pa., and Grand Rapids, Mich.; $2,600 and Up.
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ASST. CREDIT MAN—Experienced Dept. Store Man for Dayton, Ohio; Single man preferred; $2,400-$2,600.
LAWYERS—For sales work in New York City; Local Board of Trade Account.
SALESMEN—To handle plumbing supplies in New York City; commission basis with Drawing Account.
TECHNICAL MAN—One who has worked in a Zinc Rolling Mill; none other will qualify; salary open.
CLAIM ADJUSTER—To adjust Lost and Damage Claims, R. R. experience valuable; unusual opp.; $30.
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YOUNG MEN AND BOYS—We have listed several hundred openings for clean-cut American boys looking to become properly situated; practically any line of business; $12-$16.

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HOTEL MANAGER—For 500 suite apartment hotel, lake front, Middle West city; full management of maintenance, purchasing, restaurant and roof garden; young man now acting as Asst. Mgr. of 400-room first-class hotel or roof garden; salary $5,500 yr. and 5 per cent. of profits.
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UNIVERSITY EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
70 WALL ST.
STATISTICIAN, TO CHART TRAFFIC, $30.
TECHNICAL DEPARTMENT.
Draftsmen, structural steel detailer, structural, map work, hydro-electric, $50. Designer, induction motor, $3,000; generator, $4,000; engineer, civil, railroad, $190; recent electrical engineer graduates.

THE BRENTON COMPANY
50 Church St., Room 370, 3d floor.
TELLER, PAY AND REC.....$1,800
VOSTRO, Boston, foreign dept..$1,600-$1,900
EXPRS., Boston, foreign, genl..$1,500-$1,600
RECPR. cont'l, analyze accounts.....$30
RACK CLERKS, day-night.....$20-$25
CABLE CLERK, alphabetical code.....$22

MUTUAL BUSINESS SERVICE,
15 Park Row.
Service Mgr., $6,000-$7,000. Tech. Furnace Man, $6,000. Combustion Engineer, $6,000. Semi-Sr. Accountants, $2,400-$3. Statistician, $1,800. Sales Mgrs., $26-$30. Graphic Chart Man, $30. Stenos., $28-$30. Export Shipping Clerk, $25-$30. Bkprs., $25.

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507 5th Av. Vanderbilt 0498.
Advertising contact and production man, small, growing agency; Boston ledger bookkeeper; stock ledger clerk; typist. Attractive openings for young lads.

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Legal Stenographer, exper.....$35
General Clerks, some steno.....$30
Acc't Bookkeeper.....$25
Young men of good education, bank and commercial .....$16 to $20

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C. P. A. accountant, $30; export shipping clerk, $25-$30; foreign bkpr., $1,500; nostro bkpr., $1,700; typists, $25-$30; board boys and runners, $15 up.

PLACEMENT COMPANY, 2 WEST 43D.
COPYWRITER, agency exp.....$75
DRAFTSMAN, structural steel exp.....$50
STENOGRAPHER, law exp.....$40-$50
STENOGRAPHER .....$22-$23

BANKING AND COMMERCIAL,
120 Liberty St. Annex. Rector 8133.
ACCOUNTANTS, CORRESPONDENCE, $35; BOSTON LEDGER, $30; RACK CLERKS, $1,000, LUNCH.

SEVERAL junior accountants, graduates recognized accounting schools, C. P. A. experience, salary open; boys for banks, brokers, miscellaneous, $12-$18. HUFFMAN'S AGENCY, 30 Broad St.

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Secretary-Steno., energetic, well educated, fine future, $40-$50; other openings, banking, merchandising, commercial lines.

STENOS., $26; steno., salary open; boys, $14 to $16; clerks, $18; 2 Boston ledger bookkeepers, $1,500 to $1,700; experienced. Fee Exchange, 16 Exchange Place.

MERCANTILE EXCHANGE, 77 Cortlandt.
Bookkeeper, experienced, under 30, $1,800; Elliott-Fisher, $33; typists; boys. Registration Free.

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Steneg., statistical, $28; Spanish-English, $35.

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WHAT IS HOLDING YOU BACK?
Probably you are trying to do work you do not like, work you are not naturally adapted for. If you want to get ahead, learn what your life should be. Consult our expert analysts for the facts. Phone, write or call in person for free booklet.
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LADY over 30 years to sell leader sanitary articles; $10 day easily made. Home Specialty Rubber Co., 220 West 34th St., Room 300.

AUSTRIAN STEYR, 1924 TOURING.
Rolls-Royce 1922 Touring.
Isotta-Fraschini 1922 Touring.
Cadillac 1922 Amesbury Brougham.
Cadillac 1919 Town Brougham.
Packard 1920 Holbrook Cabriolet.
Chevrolet 1923 Coupe, $350.
Fiat 1922 Town Car.
Minerva Demonstrating Chassis.
Minerva 1914 Touring, $350.
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BREWSTER sedan and cabriolet.
CADILLAC "61" sport sedan.
RENAULT town car.
LANCIA Fleetwood cabriolet.
LOCOMOBILE Far. & Nel. sport.
BURRELLE, 1,900 Broadway.

BUICKS, $250 UP,
all types and models; payments, trades. 128 East 149th. Mott Haven 6035.

BUICK brougham-sedan, model 24-51; 3 days old; ran 300 miles; owner leaving country. Bowling Green 9490.

BUICK (late) seven-passenger sedan, $900; balance $300; terms. Jandorf, 1,739 Broadway.

BUICK 1923 7 sedan; 2,600 miles; sacrifice. 235 West 58th. Circle 8405.

BUICK 1923 6-cylinder sedan; condition like new; must sacrifice. Bryant 0000.

BUICK 6, 1922, touring; sacrifice; splendid condition; no dealers. Watkins 3460.

BUICK, 1923, red sport roadster for sale, cheap. 861 Times 165 Broadway.

BUICK 1923, 5-pass. coach; like new; sacrifice. Fischer, 136 West 52d.

CADILLAC 1922 7-pass. touring.
Cadillac 1921 7-pass. sedan.
Cadillac 1921 coupe and lim.
Cadillac 1919 coupe and 1919 lim.
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CADILLAC 61, 7-PASS. TOURING.
Cadillac 61 coupe.
Cadillac 59 coupe.
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CADILLAC USED CARS—ALL MODELS.
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CADILLAC 61 IMPERIAL SEDAN.
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CADILLAC, Imperial limousine, 59-2; perfect condition. Lawrence, 138 West 55th.

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CADILLAC coupe, 1923; like new; sacrifice. Fischer, 136 West 52d St.

CHEVROLET 1923 Touring, serial 2B5030.
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Serial numbers certified. Very low prices.
OAKLAND MOTOR CAR CO.,
223 West 58th St. Open evenings.

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FRANKLIN sedan, 1922, excellent condition, paint like new; price $1,500; desire quick sale. Phone Endicott 6744.

HAYNES SEDAN, 1922,
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HUDSON 1922 7-passenger Imperial.
LINCOLN 4-passenger Sport.
LINCOLN 7-passenger 1921 Touring.
PACKARD 1920 "12" 6-passenger Imperial.
HUDSON & LINCOLNS, guaranteed like new.
LINCOLN USED CAR DEPT.,
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HUDSON, 22, SEDAN, $260.
Balance, $340, payable eight installments, purchases practically new, seven-passenger, guaranteed six months. 1,911 Jerome Av., Bingham 1632-J.

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JORDAN 1924 sedan, less than 1,000 miles; fully equipped, like new; sacrifice. Bronx Jordan Co., 184th and Concourse. Kellog 10002.

JORDAN, 22, SPORT, $525.
Most attractive five-passenger in city; payments; 1,911 Jerome Av., Bingham 1632-J.

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157 West 56th St. (7th Av.) Circle 5550.

MERCIER, racebout, finest racebout rolling; $1,450; open evenings. 241 West 54th.

OAKLAND 1922 "6-44" Coupe, serial 6713 (certified); a smart car which can be bought reasonably; easy terms. Oakland Motor Car Co., 225 West 58th St. Circle 4314. Open evenings.

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NASH, cabriole, run 1,000 miles; special demonstrator; owner leaving town; 4,503 Hudson Boulevard, Union Hill, N. J., Hoboken 1591.

PACKARD, 133, seven-passenger touring, driven 5,700 miles, equipped with six tires, bumper, spring covers, special radiator top; condition of entire car is very good; time payment. Phone White Plains 2990, or Audubon 0179, after 6.

PACKARD limousine, 1917, twin six, Holbrook body; in perfect order, overhauled recently; low price. Inquire Automobile Club, 54th St., for L. U. car, between 10-12 A. M.

PACKARD 126, five-passenger touring, demonstrator, driven 5,000 miles; guaranteed; same as new car; time payment. Packard Westchester Co., Phone White Plains 2990.

PACKARD, twin, Fleetwod sport roadster; leaving town; make offer. Mrs. Flynn. Schuyler 5800.

PACKARD FLEETWOOD CABRIOLET
143 inch wheelbase; original cost $11,500; owner will sacrifice. Columbus 3894.

PACKARD 1922 twin 6 roadster; original condition; must be sold. Bryant 0900.

PACKARD sedan single 6, 5 pass., $1,450; like new guarantee. Nevins 2175.

PAIGE speedster, Reo touring, Durant touring and many others in fine condition at low prices. Bargains! Bowman Automobile Co., 1,922 Broadway, at 64th St.

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WANTED—Approximately 350 ft. oak office partition, about 7 ft. high, glass upper panel; new or second hand; include erection New York City; write only. Westinghouse Electric & Mfg., 467 10th Av., New York City, attention of Mr. Stromberg.

BOUGHT for highest cash prices, contents of residences, apartments, hotels, pianos, objects of art, books, bric-a-brac, carpets, rugs, &c. Jones, 161 E. 125th. Harlem 2787.

FURNITURE WANTED.
Highest cash prices contents houses, apartments; pianos, rugs, works of art, &c. Henry, 115 University Pl. Stuyvesant 5077.

WANTED—Pay full value contents apartments, house; pianos, books, paintings, bric-brac. Miller, 120 University Place, Stuyvesant 5793.

ELLIOTT-FISHER Bookkeeping machine wanted; state what condition, how long used, price wanted and full details. X 2178 Times Annex.

HIGHEST cash for furniture, contents houses, apartments; pianos, china, rugs, bronzes, &c. Poulson, 157 East 47th. Stuyvesant 10161.

OFFICE FURNITURE, used; any quantity purchased for cash. Telephone 6301 Worth.

PEERLESS sedan, splendid; sacrifice; $1,200; terms; open evenings. Waldbaum, 241 West 54th.

PIERCE-ARROW 8-4 passenger coupe, attractively priced; in good condition throughout; a car you would like to own.

PIERCE-ARROW, latest model landaulet; the smartest town car we build; newly painted an attractive blue; excellent running condition.

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PIERCE-ARROW DISTRIBUTERS,
Used Car Department,
223 West 54th St., also 236 West 59th St.

PIERCE-ARROW 7-passenger touring; 48-horse-power; fully equipped, Westinghouse absorber, new paint job; fine condition; private party; must be sold at once; bargain. Mullins, Tramway 2893.

PIERCE-ARROW Fleetwood brougham, 1920; small mileage; must be sold immediately as owner is going abroad. For demonstration write W 221 Times, or telephone Tarrytown 1393.

PIERCE 1923 ENCLOSED SPORT MODEL.
PIERCE 1923 7-PASS. TOURING.
Exceptional condition and values. Powers, 20 Central Park West. Columbus 3725.

RICKENBACKER, coupe, 6 months' old, perfect condition; bargain; seen by appointment. Call Boulevard 6015 or Bowling Green 3170.

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WILLYS-KNIGHT SEDAN, 7-PASS., current model, equipped with four brand-new tires; newly painted; impossible to distinguish from a new car; the only one in our stock; big saving from new car price; easy terms arranged. Willys-Overland, Inc., Broadway at 50th St. Open evenings.

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used less than two months; practically brand-new; new extra tire and bumper guaranteed; a saving of $400 from new car price. Willys-Overland, Inc., Broadway at 50th. Open evenings.

WILLS ST. CLAIRE runabout; only driven 6,000 miles; paint, tires, upholstery and top in good condition; mechanically right. Packard Motor Car Co. of N. Y., Broadway, at 61st St. Columbus 8900.

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Salesrooms, 25-27 Boulevard, Jersey City. Telephone Bergen 2395.

Templar 1921 sedan; snappy; newly painted; small sedan, cheap; come quick.

Franklin 1922 sedan; run 12,000 miles; had wonderful care; just refinished; must sell.

BARGAINS by the score are in the Christmas used car sale at Sidney Bowman's; rebuilt cars at bottom prices while sale lasts. Bowman Automobile Co., 1,922 Broadway, at 64th St.

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CHRISTMAS SALE of used cars at Sidney Bowman's will be sure to suit your needs in bargains! Bowman Automobile Co., 1,922 Broadway, at 64th St.

Automobiles for Rent.

CADILLAC, limousine, latest model; month, week, day; $3 hour. Hurd, Academy 1380.

CADILLAC—Late model, $3 per hour, weekly, monthly; owner drives. Columbus 2151.

CUNNINGHAM sedan, fine private party or rental purpose. Waldbaum, 241 West 54th.

HUDSON limousine, private, $3 hourly; special weekly, monthly; owner drives. University 3650.

PACKARD limousine, new models, rented for calling, shopping, theatre, opera, weddings; reasonable rates. NATIONAL GARAGE CO., 163-157 East 53d. Phone Plaza 2100.

PEERLESS sedan, monthly. De Marino, 161 East 128th. Harlem 2906, 1-3 P. M.

PIERCE-ARROWS, classy limousines; $3 hourly; special weekly, monthly rates. Endicott 0121.

PIERCE-ARROW limousine landaulet, late model; owner drives; very reasonable. Circle 6868.

TOWN limousine, $3 per hour, $400 monthly trips, theatres, special rate; owner drives; careful driver. John Slama, Rhinelander 7063.

Automobiles Wanted.

CADILLAC coupe, 23-24 model; state mileage, where seen. C 73 Times.

AUTO OWNERS, ATTENTION!
We will pay highest prices; call and be convinced. 875 7th Av., at 56th St. Circle 8695.

CARS WANTED—CASH WAITING.
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ALL kinds of repairs and towing; A1 mechanic; all cars. New Circle Repair Shop, 350 West 50th St. Circle 9563.

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SEVERAL new and used sedan bodies for Packard, Cadillac, &c. Fiagler, 150 Carlton Av., Brooklyn.

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DEAD STORAGE AUTOMOBILES.
$6 monthly and up; steam heated building, 310 West 143d. Phone Audubon 0504.

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LOANS TO AUTO OWNERS.
Car remains in your possession.
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New and second-hand; low prices; easy payments.
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GOLD bird display rack, complete, with 44 leaves; measuring 48x36; covered with green burlap over steel frame; will sacrifice. W 279 Times.

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SACRIFICE, 16 cases imported toys. Call Room 306, 30 Irving Place. Telephone Lexington 2732.

TRUNK, Innovation wardrobe, $12.50; also theatrical Bal. 50 E. 59th, near Madison.

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ABERDEENS, CHOWS, BOSTONS, PEKINESE; all the fashionable breeds.
Great for Christmas presents.
LONDON DOG AND BIRD SHOP,
Greatest Animal Shop in America,
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Christmas presents; Persian and Chinese rugs; room size, $140, $150, $165; smaller, $20, 30, $45; and runners; reliable firm; established 24 years. Tatosian Bros., 368 Lexington Av., near 41st.

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REED and willow furniture; special Christmas bargains; lowest prices; largest selection; single pieces for sale. Beach Willow Co., 138 East 41st, near Lex. Av.

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WONDERFUL bargain, Sheridan inlay mahogany dining room set. Mrs. Sweeny, 51 East 93d St., City. Lenox 1565.

WONDERFUL BARGAIN—Sheridan inlay mahogany dining room set. 51 East 93d St., City, Mrs. Sweeny. Tel. Lenox 1565.

APARTMENT, 56th, elevator, 8 rooms, attractively furnished; home; income. Schuyler 1222.

FURNISHINGS new four rooms; very cheap. Linton, 2,117 Daly Av. Fordham 0770.

Jewelry.

RING, diamond solitaire; nearly 5 carats; perfect blue white; must sacrifice; quick buyer, $1,150; appraise. A 1123 Times Harlem.

LAWYER has 12k. diamond for sale to close out estate; can be seen 10 to 4 at Room 1128, Woolworth Building.

BRACELET, flexible platinum, perfect diamonds, three rows wide; cost $1,500; private party sacrifices for half. W 270 Times.

BRACELET, platinum; 42 perfect diamonds; latest; high grade; $975. H 257 Times.

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A REPRODUCING baby grand Welte-Mignon piano, new, perfect; will sacrifice or exchange; value $1,600. S 1079 Times Annex.

Office Furniture and Fixtures.

INVENTORY SALE.
New mahogany desks, $36; steel filing cabinets, $18; Underwood typewriters, like new, $35; other furniture greatly reduced. American Desk, 321 West 50th. Columbus 1337.

Office Furniture and Fixtures.

All Big Bargains, At Nathan's
New and Slightly Used
OFFICE FURNITURE.
Roll, Flat, Typewriter and Bookkeepers' Desks, Chairs, Filing Cabinets, Tables, Safes, Rugs.
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OFFICE AFFLIANCE & EQUIPMENT CO.,
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DESKS, CHAIRS, FILES—NEW AND USED.
Big bargains; must vacate warehouse.
Prices reduced 15 to 25%. Steel files, $19.50.
Dallek Bros., 489 Broadway. Canal 7951.
Branch Store: 78 Centre St. Worth 0767.

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SAFE, cabinets, high quality, low prices; bargains in new and slightly used furniture; reduced prices on period design office suites. Chas. Schenne, 43 John St., 71 Spring St. John 2023.

DESKS, chairs, files, &c.; finest quality; must sell immediately; for retiring brokers' office; no reasonable offer refused. Reade Office, 76 Beaver St. Hanover 5045.

STEEL safe cabinet, with 112 drawers, individual Yale locks on each drawer; suitable for jewelers, Turkish baths, hotels, &c. Harry Goodman, 162 Greenwich St.

BIG REMOVAL Sale—$250,000 stock; desks, office furniture, filing cabinets, leather sets, typewriters, adding machines, sacrifice prior to moving. 452 Broadway.

OFFICE FURNITURE SURPLUS SALE.
Must dispose of our desks, chairs, telephone booths, &c.; need room. Store 37 Barclay St. Whitehall 4684.

ADDRESSOGRAPH F-2 (ribbon machine); graphotype cabinets, trays, frames; sacrifice. Haughey, 296 Broadway.

MUST VACATE, SACRIFICE FICTURES, ADDING MACHINES, STOCK BINS, DESKS AND SAFE. 231 WEST 54TH.

CHAIRS, DESKS, TABLES, FILES, new and used; overstocked; big sacrifice. Miller Furniture Co., 44 Duane St.

Typewriters.

RENT—A Woodstock typewriter, $2 a month; $7.50 for three months. Woodstock Typewriter Company, 299 Broadway.

L. C. SMITH, perfect condition, $40. 55 John St., Room 1006.

Wearing Apparel.

AT my studio, 63 Riverside Drive. I have for sale, a full length seal coat, size 46-48. Price agreeably reasonable. Call 10 to 7 only. (Mrs. St. George); also a young lady's natural muskrat automobile coat.

HUDSON seal wrap; large collar; sleeves of kolinsky; lapels, cuffs, sacrifice. Hotel Netherland, Room 832, Times Tower.

The Teaching Staff.

Board of Education.

The Board of Examiners announces examinations of men and women applicants for Promotion Licenses on Dec. 26-31 in the subjects listed below:

Holders of promotion license may now teach in the ninth school year in Junior High Schools. The work of this year—formerly the first high school year—requires study, knowledge and ability of a higher order than formerly necessary for holders of a promotion license. A corresponding increase in difficulty may be expected in the promotion examinations in each subject.

Lines of Examinations Forecast.

With the idea of aiding the candidates to review their work for the examination the following forecast of the examination by subjects is given:

BIOLOGY — Essentials of botany, bacteriology and zoology; biological history and theory; modern discoveries in applied biology; field work; ability to sketch and diagram accurately.

*DRAWING AND CONSTRUCTIVE WORK —Either from objects, memory or description; painting in water color, from objects; decorative design; principles of othographic projection, and construction of working drawing.

*ENGLISH—English and American literature. Chaucer to present; grammar, composition, oral English, New York City and Regents syllabi, elementary and secondary schools.

FRENCH—Classic and modern prose, composition, idiom and grammar; international phonetic symbols.

GENERAL SCIENCE—Essential principles in biology, chemistry, physics and physiography; a working knowledge of the adaptations of science to provide better food, clothing and shelter for city children; recent discoveries and applications of science.

GEOGRAPHY — Physical, including map reading, regional geography, economic geography and their interrelations.

*GREGG STENOGRAPHY AND TYPEWRITING—Principles and practice of, and typewriting, business forms, office practice.

AMERICAN HISTORY AND CIVICS—American and related European history and government; related geography; community civics; citizenship. Chances for early appointment in this subject are limited to the lower east side or outlying districts in Queens and Richmond.

LATIN — Classic prose and poetry as in customary four-year secondary courses; grammar and composition.

*MATHEMATICS — Arithmetic, algebra, plane geometry and introductory trigonometry.

MUSIC—Methods of teaching, ear training, dictation, voice training, elementary theory, melody writing, elementary harmony and the conducting and interpretation of songs.

*PHYSICAL TRAINING—Underlying principles; elements of applied physiology and hygiene, gymnastics, athletics; organization drilling; games for gymnasium, playground and classroom, and, for women, folk dancing.

*PITMAN STENOGRAPHY AND TYPEWRITING—As in Gregg.

SPANISH—Classic and modern prose; composition, idiom and grammar; Tomas; phonetic symbols.

*The eligible lists of women are long. New successful candidates may not be reached for a year or two unless willing to go to less accessible parts of city.

No examination is announced in sewing, as the promotion license eligible list is considered sufficient for more than a year.

Miscellaneous Details.

Oral examinations, including inspection and investigation of teaching, to be conducted at the call of the Board of Examiners, will be required of all applicants for license for promotion.

An examination in principles and methods of teaching, to be held later at the call of the Board of Examiners, will be required except to those who present evidence of having completed satisfactory courses.

Candidates should report for the written examination at the Washington Irving High School, Sixteenth Street and Irving Place, at the time indicated.

English, Dec. 26, 1 P. M.
French, general science, Dec. 27, 1 P. M.; Latin, music, Dec. 28, 1 P. M.
Biology, history, Drawing I., physical training, Spanish, Dec. 31, 9 A. M.
Geography, mathematics, drawing II., Gregg stenography, Pitman stenography, Dec. 31, 1 P. M.

The examinations in drawing extend over two sessions; no candidate is excused from either session.

No person is eligible not over 21 and less than 41 years of age, except persons now serving in the city public schools on a per annum basis; and that in the case of substitute's license, teachers, within five years, the maximum age may be increased by adding to forty years the number of years of such substitute service, but not exceeding five full years.

This examination is open not later than Feb. 1.

No person shall be licensed or appointed to teach in the public schools who is not a citizen or unless he shall have made application to become a citizen.

The salary for teachers in seventh and eighth year grades and in junior high schools runs from $1,900 to $3,250 by annual increments of $150 for satisfactory service.

Candidates must file complete applications not later than Friday, Dec. 21. The forms may be obtained at this office or by mail.

Wills for Probate.

Kings.

HARRINGTON, GEORGE E. (Dec. 5). Estate, about $2,000, to two daughters.
HELRICH, JOHN T. (Nov. 13). Estate, about $750, to John T. Heirich, a son.
HOLDEN, HENRY E. (Nov. 1). Estate, about $2,000, to a sister, brother and sister-in-law.
KREUSER, MARY F. (Oct. 31). Estate, about $5,000, to George A. Kreuser, husband.
SHANNON, CATHERINE (Nov. 17). Estate, about $1,500, to five children equally.
WILSON, ELIZABETH S. (Dec. 3). Estate to Charles A. Jensen, a son, and Mary Ella Fisher, daughter, after payment of small bequests to a niece and three grandchildren.

SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT, BRONX COUNTY—ELIZABETH B. STONE, Plaintiff, against JOHN GEORGE STRUB, ELIZABETH S. STRUB, his wife, NINA CONRAD, LUCAS STRUB, EMMA STRUB, his wife, AGNES SPECK, HERCULES CAFLISCH, "JANE" CAFLISCH, his wife, said wife's first name being fictitious, said wife's true Christian name being unknown to plaintiff, Corp., to Charles A. Jensen, a son, and Mary Ella Fisher, daughter, after payment of small bequests to a niece and three grandchildren.

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To the above-named defendants:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the second amended complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer or, if the second amended complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated, June 1923.
ARTHUR & TUCKER,
Attorneys for Plaintiff, Office & P. O. Address, 74 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

TO NINA CONRAD, LUCAS STRUB, EMMA STRUB, his wife, AGNES SPECK, HERCULES CAFLISCH, "JANE" CAFLISCH, his wife, said wife's first name being fictitious, said wife's true Christian name being unknown to plaintiff; IDA CAFLISCH, OTTO CAFLISCH, "JANE" CAFLISCH, his wife, said wife's first name being fictitious, said wife's true Christian name being unknown to plaintiff; "JOHN" CANDRIAN, defendant's first name being fictitious, said defendant's true Christian name being unknown to plaintiff; said defendant being a son of Kate Candrian, deceased, a sister of Martin Caflisch, deceased; "JANE" CANDRIAN, his wife, said wife's first name being fictitious, said wife's true Christian name being unknown to plaintiff, Corp., to Martin Caflisch, deceased, and if any of the above-named defendants be dead, his or her respective widow, heirs, husbands, devisees, executors, administrators, grant

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The western area of high pressure has moved rapidly eastward and its crest was over the upper Ohio Valley Tuesday night. It has been followed by a decided fall in temperature over the Plain States and the Rocky Mountains and plateau regions.

Pressure has remained relatively low also over Texas, and a disturbance of moderate intensity has moved rapidly eastward from the lower lake region to the vicinity of Newfoundland during the last twenty-four hours. This pressure distribution has been attended by rain in the Gulf States and Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States, the Ohio Valley and Arkansas, Oklahoma and Southern Arizona, North Pacific States and by local rains in New Mexico and Northern Arizona, Western Kansas and Western Texas.

The rain area over the Southwest will spread eastward and northeastward over practically all sections east of the Mississippi River within the next two days. The weather will remain fair Wednesday, however, in the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States, the lower lake region, the extreme upper Ohio Valley. The temperature will not change materially in the Washington forecast district Wednesday and Thursday, but colder weather will overspread the lower lake region, and the Ohio and middle Mississippi valleys Thursday night or Friday.

COUNTRY-WIDE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Observations at United States Weather Bureau stations during the twenty-four hours preceding 8 P. M. yesterday:

Station.	High.	Low.	Temperature. Barom-eter.	Rain-fall.	Weather.
Abilene	86	34	30.22	.06	Rain
Albany	44	38	30.24	..	Clear
Atlanta	58	56	30.28	..	Cloudy
Atlantic City	50	42	30.30	..	Clear
Baltimore	52	44	30.34	..	Clear
Bismarck	56	26	29.82	..	Clear
Boston	46	38	30.16	..	Clear
Buffalo	40	32	30.28	..	Clear
Charleston	72	54	30.32	..	Cloudy
Chicago	44	32	30.36	..	Clear
Cincinnati	46	32	30.42	..	Clear
Cleveland	42	36	30.38	..	Clear
Denver	50	24	30.02	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Detroit	42	28	30.34	..	Clear
Galveston	64	64	30.12	..	Cloudy
Helena	38	18	29.82	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Jacksonville	76	60	30.22	..	Clear
Kansas City	40	26	30.30	..	Cloudy
Los Angeles	64	50	30.12	..	Clear
Milwaukee	44	28	30.36	..	Clear
Minneapolis					
St. Paul	50	24	30.08	..	Pt. Cl'dy
New Orleans	70	62	30.18	..	Pt. Cl'dy
New York	47	40	30.27	..	Clear
Oklahoma	86	32	30.22	.90	Rain
Philadelphia	50	42	30.30	..	Clear
Pittsburgh	44	34	30.40	..	Clear
Portland, Me.	40	32	30.12	..	Clear
Portland, Ore.	48	34	30.26	.26	Cloudy
Salt Lake City	30	14	30.22	..	Clear
San Antonio	54	46	30.08	..	Cloudy
San Diego	62	48	30.16	..	Clear
San Francisco	56	48	30.16	..	Clear
Seattle	50	48	30.20	.14	Pt. Cl'dy
St. Louis	40	30	30.36	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Washington	50	42	30.36	..	Clear

Northern New England—Fair Wednesday. Thursday increasing cloudiness, probably becoming unsettled; not much change in temperature.

Southern New England—Fair Wednesday. Thursday increasing cloudiness; probably rain by Thursday night; not much change in temperature.

Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey—Fair Wednesday; Thursday cloudy and slightly warmer; probably rain.

District of Columbia, Maryland and Delaware—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday. Thursday rain and slightly warmer.

Western New York—Fair Wednesday. Thursday rain and slightly warmer.

NEW YORK CITY WEATHER RECORDS.

Official Temperature.

8 AM.	44	12 M.	44	8 PM.	42
1 AM.	41	4 PM.	45	7 PM.	40
2 AM.	40	2 PM.	46	8 PM.	40
3 AM.	41	3 PM.	45	9 PM.	40
4 AM.	42	4 PM.	44	10 PM.	39
11 AM.	43	5 PM.	42		

Average temperature yesterday, 43.
Average same date last year, 53.
Average same date for 46 years, 36.

Barometer, 30.25 at 8 A. M.; 30.27 at 8 P. M.
Humidity, 71 at 8 A. M.; 60 at 8 P. M.
Wind at 8 A. M., northwest, velocity 26 miles; at 8 P. M., northwest, velocity 18 miles.
Weather, clear at 8 A. M.; clear at 8 P. M.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—North Carolina—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain Wednesday night or Thursday; slightly warmer Thursday.

South Carolina and Georgia—Cloudy Wednesday, probably rain by Wednesday night and on Thursday; little change in temperature.

Florida—Mostly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday, possibly local rains; little change in temperature.

Extreme Northwest Florida and Alabama—Rain Wednesday or Wednesday night and on Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Mississippi—Rain Wednesday and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Rain Wednesday and Thursday, warmer Thursday; colder Thursday night or Friday.

Ohio—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, followed by rain Wednesday night or Thursday; warmer Thursday; colder Thursday night or Friday.

Illinois—Rain Wednesday or Wednesday night and probably on Thursday; warmer Wednesday.

Indiana—Increasing cloudiness, probably rain Wednesday afternoon or night and on Thursday; rising temperature.

Lower Michigan—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday; Thursday probably rain; warmer by Thursday.

Upper Michigan—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday; warmer east and south; Thursday probably rain.

Wisconsin—Increasing cloudiness, probably rain east and south by Wednesday night and on Thursday; warmer Wednesday.

Missouri—Rain Wednesday; Thursday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.

Iowa—Rain Wednesday, warmer; Thursday partly cloudy, colder west.

Minnesota—Increasing cloudiness Wednesday; Thursday somewhat unsettled, colder.

North Dakota—Cloudy, somewhat unsettled Wednesday and Thursday; colder Wednesday night.

Fire Record.

A.M.
2:55—230 W. 86 St.; Helen Hawkins. Slight
3:55—173 Eldridge St.; Jacob Gross, Not given
3:55—305 Columbus Av.; A. Lowenthal ..... Not given
9:25—1,028 Home St., Bronx; automobile, Frieder Baking Co. ..... Slight
P.M.
1:30—120 E. 120 St.; E. M. Metz ..... None
2:55—814 Caldwell Av., the Bronx; H. Shetzer, not given ..... Not given
4:20—235 E. 28th St.; Y. Burke, not given. Not given
5:25—231 E. 47 St.; H. Derby, not given ..... Not given
6:10—121 St. and 3d Av.; elevated structure ..... None
8:35—317 Broadway; Boody and McClellan ..... Slight

Police Department.

Acting Commissioner Leach issued these orders yesterday:

Temporary Assignments.

PATROLMAN—Joseph P. Sullivan, 9th Precinct to Detective Division, to Dec. 16, 1923; Michael F. Sheehy, Headquarters Division, from Raided Premises Squad to Public Office Squad, to duty at Department of Public Welfare, Holiday Exhibition and Sale, 27 West 57th St., from Dec. 15; Charles Gilmore, Headquarters Division, from Raided Premises Squad to Public Office Squad, to Duty in office of State of New York Tax Department, Motor Vehicle Bureau, to Jan. 1.

Leaves Without Pay.

PATROLMAN William Stumpf, 46th Precinct, for 3 days, from 8 A. M.; Dec. 14.

Sick Leave Granted.

POLICEWOMAN Mary E. Maguire, 5th Precinct, to Feb. 1.

Full Pay on Sick Report.

PATROLMAN Peter J. Kelleher, 42d Precinct, from Oct. 31, during disability.

Pay Under Suspension Approved.

PATROLMAN Eckert H. Winchell, 42d Precinct, from Nov. 19, to Nov. 24.

Death Is Reported.

PATROLMAN Timothy Sheehan, 22d Precinct, Dec. 8, at U. S. Veterans Hospital, New Haven, Conn., from natural causes. Funeral from 1,706 Third Av., Manhattan, at 9:30 A. M., Dec. 12. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

Fire Department.

Chief John Kenlon made these announcements yesterday:

Company commanders will hold pay check of any member of their company who may have been absent without leave for one tour or more for the period covered and return same with payroll to the Division of Audit and Accounts, Room 1130, Municipal Building, accompanied with a statement of time lost, in order to adjust the correct amount due such member. If the check is withheld by the Pay Master, officer will forward payroll with statement of time lost to the above division.

Alarm service in the Borough of Manhattan is now being operated selectively between the hours of 11 P. M. and 9 A. M. First alarms are being transmitted between those hours over those circuits only on which are connected the companies and battalions which assigned to respond or to locate on the first and second alarms of the station committed. Special building signals, special calls, second or greater alarms and ambulance signals are being transmitted over all circuits at all hours.

Fireman Andrew F. Rueff, Eng. Co. 237, on charges of "Absence without leave" (three specifications), and "Disobedience of orders," and found guilty, is dismissed from the department.

Following penalties are imposed:

Lieut. John Meyer (1), H. & L. Co. 20. Fined $2, for loss of High Pressure Box Key and Inner Box Key.

Fireman John Halpin, H. & L. Co. 14. Fined $5, for loss of coat badge.

Fireman Eugene M. Ryan, Eng. Co. 77. Fined 5, for loss of coat badge.

Special leave of absence is granted to Lieut. John G. McNeill, Eng. Co. 307, for 15 hours, from 6 P. M., Dec. 12.

Estates Appraised.

New York.

McCABE, JAMES J. (Jan. 17, 1919). James J. McCabe Jr., executor of $778,585. He owned 2,000 shares of the J. J. McCabe Lathe & Machine Co., appraised at $236,200, and had $315,800 in real estate. He gave $10,000 and 333 shares of McCabe stock to his brother Henry. His sons—James, Raymond and Herbert—and daughter Marcella received a share of the McCabe stock and a fifth of the residue, $114,108 each, and the widow got $10,000 cash, a life interest in a fifth of the residue and the use of the home at 429 West 147th Street. The Sisters of the Academy of Visitation received $20,000. Mr. McCabe left $10,000 with instructions that it be used either to buy a burial plot and provide a monument or that part of it be given to a charitable organization to establish a memorial for the family and the balance used for a burial plot. The family decided to spend all for the plot.

Kings.

CLEMENTSCHITZ, CATHERINE (Nov. 5). Gross estate $5,743, net $5,111, the largest asset being an equity in premises 369 Carleton Avenue, Brooklyn, $4,860. Estate to Louisa Frey, sister, and to others in shares of less than $500 each.

HALY, RICHARD J. (Nov. 21, 1920). Gross estate $28,197, net $21,255. The assets include bank deposits $42,500; Government bonds and mortgages $6,019, New York City corporate stock $3,176 and 13 shares Pump Works of Brooklyn $750.

ROSENFELD, MOLLIE (Dec. 27, 1922). Estate $8,516, to decedent's children.

TUCK, SOPHIE (Jan. 11, 1923). Gross estate $30,862, net $26,974. Assets include equity in premises 8,620 Twenty-first Street, Brooklyn, $7,320; mortgages $23,490. To Tillie Tuck, daughter, $12,250; Ralph T. and Henry Tuck, sons, $5,218 each, and Robert Tuck, husband, $3,958.

Army Orders and Assignments.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The War Department published these orders today:

Miscellaneous.

Meals, Maj. C. A., to Ft. Leavenworth.

Gralund, Capt. O. W., Fin. Dept., to San Francisco, about Jan. 8.

Bechtold, Capt. J. E., Inf., to Canon City, Col.

Moon, 1st Lt. O., Air Svce., to Kelley Field. Leaves.

McKinnon, 1st Lt. M. H., Air Svce., 2 mos., 15 days.

Reserve Corps Orders.

Second Corps Area.

At Headquarters Second Corps Area, Governors Island, these orders were made known yesterday:

To active duty for three months' training at Fort Benning, Ga., or as to arrive thereat not later than Feb. 23:

Maj. E. Parmalee Prentice, Inf., O. R. C.: Capt. Walter M. Ireland, Inf., O. R. C.; 1st Lt. James N. Battle, Inf., O. R. C.; 2d Lt. Leo V. Kuss, Inf., O. R. C.

Relieved from attachment to Hq. XII. Corps, Q. M., attached list, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group; placed in B. A. Group:

2d Lts. Michael F. Doherty and Francis S. Appleby.

So much of Sp. Or. 291 as relates to Maj. George A. Mullarky, A. G., O. R. C., is revoked; member N. Y. N. G.

Maj. Coleman Coyle, Inf., O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 309th Inf., 78th Div.; member N. J. N. G.

So much of Sp. Or. 291 as relates to 2d Lt. Carroll J. Grinnell, Q. M., O. R. C., is revoked.

2d Lt. Carroll J. Grinnell, Q. M., O. R. C., to Hq. XII. Corps, Q. M., attached list, is assigned to 309th Motor Trans. Co., 98th Div.

2d Lt. Charles J. Haydon, Inf., O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq. 78th Div.; moved out of corps area.

2d Lt. George O. Gillingham is relieved from attachment to Hq. 78th Div.; moved out of corps area.

1st Lt. Mark P. Sullivan, F. A., O. R. C., is transferred from assignment to 152d (Am. Train), 77th Div., to 304th Field Art., 77th Div.

1st Lt. Harold Kondolf, F. A., O. R. C., is transferred from assignment to the 304th Field Art., 77th Div., to 305th Field Art., 77th Div.

1st Lt. Charles B. Harding, F. A., O. R. C., promoted to Captain, is attached to Hq., 77th Div.

Lt. Col. John Stilwell, S. S., O. R. C., is relieved from attachment to Hq. Sec., G-2, 77th Div.; transferred to M. I., O. R. C.

1st Lt. Paul T. Colbron, Cav., O. R. C., promoted to Captain, is attached to Hq., 61st Cav. Brig.

Maj. Thomas F. Cooke, Cav., O. R. C., 151st Cav. Brigade, 61st Cav. Div., attached to Hq., 61st Cav. Div.

Maj. John C. Cowdin, Cav., O. R. C., 152d Cav. Brigade, 61st Cav. Div., assigned to the 151st Cav. Brigade, 61st Cav. Div.

Capt. Herman C. Page, F. A., O. R. C., promoted to Maj., is attached to Hq., 78th Div.

The following 2d Lts., Inf., promoted to 1st Lts., are reassigned to the 310th Inf., 78th Div.:

Walter E. Brown, Manton L. Graff.

Capt. Louis H. Coxe 3d, Inf., O. R. C., promoted to Maj., is reattached to Hq., 78th Div.

1st Lt. William J. Loughran, C. A., O. R. C., Sandy Hook Reg., 2d Coast Art., to the 602d (railway) Art., 2d Coast Art. Dist.

2d Lt. Charles E. Paules, Eng., O. R. C., promoted to 1st Lt., is reassigned to 351st Eng. (Gen. Svc.), IV. Army, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group.

Maj. William C. Speakman, Dent., O. R. C., promoted to Lt. Col., is reattached to the 303d Med. Regt., 78th Div. (for training purposes only).

2d Lt. Ernest E. Cook, Q. M., O. R. C., is relieved from assignment to the 314th Motor Repair Bn., 1st Army, C. A. and G. H. Q. Group; moved out of corps area.

National Guard Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 11.—These National Guard orders were bulletined in the office of the Adjutant General today:

Berry, Maj. Gen. Charles W., accompanied by one staff officer, is authorized to proceed to Buffalo about Jan. 20 for the purpose of inspecting and reviewing the 106th Field Art. on Jan. 21, and the 174th Inf. on Jan. 22.

Griffith, Capt. Lindsay J., 71st Inf., commissioned for assignment to Co. I.

Johnson, 1st Lt. Rupert H., 71st Inf., commissioned for assignment to Co. E.

Rundlett, Capt. Nelson S., 71st Inf., hon. discharged.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Bureau of Navigation published these orders today:

COMMANDERS.

Giles, W. J., to command the Brazos.

Milne, MacG., to command the Tulsa.

Puleston, W. D., to aid on sit., Vice Adm. N. A. McCully, Bond's Fit.

LIEUT. COMMANDERS.

Bradford, G., to continue duty on rec'g ship at N. Y.

Stevens, J. G., to the Utah.

LIEUTENANTS.

Browning, M. E., to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Burbeo, R., to the Arkansas as Asst. Engr. Off.

Gould, M. M., to the Sapelo.

Swearingen, R. W., to Asst. Co-ordinator, 1st Area, Boston.

CUNARD AND ANCHOR LINES

N. Y. to Cherbourg and Southampton
BERENGARIA ....Dec. 29-Feb. 16 Mar. 8
AQUITANIA ....Jan. 12 Jan. 26 Mar. 15
MAURETANIA ....Mar. 29 Apr. 9 Apr. 26
N. Y. to Cobh (Queenstown), Liverpool
*LACONIA, Dec. 13 SCYTHIA, Dec. 29 Apr. 15
TYRRHENIA (new) Jan. 12 Feb. 9 Mar. 8
*AUSONIA (new) ....Jan. 26 Feb. 23 Mar. 22
Boston to Cobh (Queenstown), Liverpool
*AUSONIA (new) ..... Jan. 27 Feb. 24
New York to Londonderry and Glasgow
COLUMBIA ....Dec. 22 Jan. 19 Mar. 1
CALIFORNIA (new) ..... Feb. 2 .....
N. Y. to Plymouth, Cherbourg, London
ANDANIA (new) ...Dec. 29-Feb. 16-Mar. 29
ALBANIA ....Feb. 2 *ANTONIA ....Jan. 19

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SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A. M.	Sandy Hook. P. M.	Governors Island. A. M.	Governors Island. P. M.	Hell Gate. A. M.	Hell Gate. P. M.
High water	10:50	11:25	11:33	....	1:11	1:23
Low water	4:47	5:27	5:28	....	6:08	7:39

THE SUN.

	Rises. A. M.	Sets. P. M.
	7:10	4:29

Incoming Steamships Carrying Mail

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Majestic	Southampton	Dec. 5
Siboney	Havana	Dec. 8
Laconia	Liverpool	Dec. 1
Martinique	Savanilla	Dec. 5

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Finland	San Pedro	Nov. 25
Lituania	Copenhagen	Dec. 1
President Polk	London	Dec. 1
Reliance	Hamburg	Dec. 1

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Carrillo	Santa Marta	Dec. 5
Arcadian	Bermuda	Dec. 11
Huron	Turks Island	Dec. 7
Paris	Trinidad	Dec. 6

DUE FRIDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Tence	Valparaiso	Nov. 24

DUE SATURDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Andania	Hamburg	Dec. 1
America	Bremen	Dec. 5

Other Incoming Steamships

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Santiago	Progreso	Dec. 3
War Sirdar	Tampico	Dec. 3
Natirar	Shields	Nov. 12
Eastern Tempest	Shields	Nov. 24
Birkenhead	San Pedro	Nov. 20
Gibraltar	Huelva	Nov. 13
Paul Luckenbach	Philadelphia	Dec. 9

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Robert Luckenbach	San Pedro	Nov. 15
Robin Goodfellow	Colon	Nov. 30
San Francisco Maru	Colon	Nov. 28
Santa Clara	Colon	Dec. 3
York Castle	St. Vincent	Nov. 22
Samarinda	Oran	Nov. 21

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Ala	Antwerp	Nov. 27
Edward Luckenbach	Colon	Nov. 4
Standard	Colon	Dec. 3
City of Chattanooga	Savannah	Dec. 9

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Southwestern Miller	Southampton	Nov. 30
Volcano	Orly	Nov. 27
Marengo	Aberdeen	Nov. 28

DUE FRIDAY.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Potomac	Antwerp	Nov. 29
Robin Adair	Colon	Dec. 5
Somerset	Copenhagen	Nov. 25

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer.	Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Paris,	Havre	7:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	France. (Other countries specially addressed.)
George Washington,	Bremen	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia. (Canaries and Italy specially addressed.)
President Van Buren,	London	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia (specially addressed).
Conte Rosso,	Naples	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.	Italy.
Braga,	Beyrouth	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.	Greece, Turkey, Rumania, Syria, Palestine (specially addressed).
Muenchen,	Bremen	1:00 P.M.	.....	
Belgian,	Antwerp	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.	Belgium, Luxemburg (specially addressed).
Silvia,	St. Johns	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Newfoundland.
Sixaola,	Santa Marita	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Jamaica, Colombia. (Canal Zone and Panama specially addressed.)
Fredericia,	Barahona	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Dominican Republic.
Benedict,	Porto Alegre	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.	
Padi Luckenbach,	Colon	.....	5:00 P.M.	Pernambuco, Natal, Maceio. (Other parts Brazil specially addressed.)
Pittsburgh,	Hamburg	.....	11:00 A.M.	Canal Zone, Panama, Amapala City, Colombia, Ecuador. (Honduras specially addressed.)
Laconia,	Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	No mails.
Hansa,	Hamburg	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia (specially addressed).
Cabo Espartel,	Cadiz	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.	Germany (specially addressed).
Santa Teresa,	Valparaiso	7:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Spain (specially addressed).
West Nonho,	Accra	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Canal Zone, Panama, Colombia, Ecuador, Bolivia, Chile, Peru, except Iquitos. (Honduras specially addressed.)
Mexico,	Vera Cruz	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Azores, Cape Verdes, Canaries. (West Africa specially addressed.)
Maraval,	Georgetown	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Yucatan, Campeche. (Cuba and other parts Mexico specially addressed.)
Colombia,	San Jose de Cucuta	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Grenada, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Ciudad Bolivar, Guiana.
Gen. Gorgas,	Colon	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.	El Salvador, Nicaragua, except East Coast. (Canal Zone, Panama, Guatemala specially addressed.)
Fiora,	Maracaibo	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Haiti (except Cape Haitien, Pt. de Paix, Gonaives, St. Marc), Canal Zone, Panama, Salvador.
W. M. Tupper,	Jacmel	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.	Haiti, Curacao, Venezuela (specially addressed).
Commodore Rollins,	Kingston	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.	Haiti.
Majestic,	Southampton	7:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Jamaica. (Cuba specially addressed.)
Winifredian,	Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Natirar,	Copenhagen	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Europe, Africa and West Asia.
City of Auckland,	Fort Said	10:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Denmark and Finland (specially addressed).
Fort Victoria,	Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Egypt (specially addressed).
Arcadian,	Hamilton	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bermuda.
Siboney,	Havana	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Bermuda (specially addressed).
Boswell,	Buenos Aires	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Cuba (specially addressed).
Voltaire	.....	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Santos, Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay (specially addressed).
Mary,	San Domingo City	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Barbados, South Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay.
	Martinique, Barbados	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Dominican Republic.
San Lorenzo,	San Juan	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	West Indies. (Barbados, Virgin Islands, Guiana, Grenada, St. Vincent, Trinidad specially addressed.)
Caracas,	La Guaira	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Porto Rico, Virgin Islands.
Ulua,	Port Limon	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Curacao, Venezuela. (Porto Rico specially addressed.)
Aidan,	Iquitos	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	Costa Rica. (Cuba, Canal Zone and Panama specially addressed.)
San Pablo,	Tela	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Barbados, North Brazil and Iquitos. (Other parts of Brazil specially addressed.)
Lempira,	Bluefields	12:30 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Jamaica, Guatemala, Salvador and Honduras. (Cuba and Tela specially addressed.) Nicaragua (East Coast).

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer and Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.	Steamer and Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.
Rangoon Maru, Shanghai	Dec. 12	2:00 P.M.	London Exchange, London	Dec. 15	11:00 A.M.
Maine, London	Dec. 15	9:00 A.M.	Zaremba, St. Nazaire	Dec. 18	10:00 A.M.
Jean Laurent, Havre	Dec. 15	10:00 A.M.	Marengo, Hull	Dec. 22	10:00 A.M.
Louga, Hamburg	Dec. 15	10:00 A.M.	Nortonian, Manchester	Dec. 22	9:00 A.M.
Alexandra, Copenhagen	Dec. 15	9:00 A.M.	Montana, Hamburg	Dec. 22	11:00 A.M.
King City, Hamburg	Dec. 15	11:00 A.M.	St. Jean Laurent, Havre	Dec. 22	9:00 A.M.
City of Auckland, Bombay	Dec. 15	10:00 A.M.	Malmin, Gothenburg	Dec. 24	10:00 A.M.

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At	Date.
Western World	Buenos Aires	Dec. 11
Eastern Crown	Cape Town	Dec. 7
Telemachus	Yokohama	Dec. 7
Port Lyttleton	Melbourne	Dec. 8
Steel Exporter	Port Said	Dec. 9
Karkana	Auckland	Dec. 10
Strathlorne	Aden	Dec. 10
Cerro Azul	Colon	Dec. 10
Pipestone County	Havre	Dec. 7
City of Pittsburg	Calcutta	Dec. 9
Falls City	London	Dec. 11
West Lashaway	Marseilles	Dec. 7

SAILED.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Canopic	Hamburg	Dec. 10
Westphalia	Hamburg	Dec. 7
Mijnheim	Rotterdam	Dec. 8
Woodfield	Algiers	Dec. 8
Slavic Prince	Penang	Dec. 8
Havana Maru	Kobe	Dec. 7
Maru	Singapore	Dec. 10
City of Athens	Shanghai	Dec. 10
Calcutta Maru	Colombo	Dec. 10
Teno	Colon	Dec. 10
Santa Ana	Colon	Dec. 10
Franconia	Hilo	Dec. 11
Hektor	Tarragona	Dec. 7

Reported by Radio

SS Reliance (United American Line), incoming from Hamburg, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 86, North River, Wednesday forenoon.

SS President Polk (United States Lines), incoming from London, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 3, Hoboken, Wednesday afternoon.

SS Lituania (Baltic American Line), incoming from Danzig, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 7, Bush Docks, Brooklyn, Wednesday forenoon.

SS Finland (Panama Pacific Line), incoming from Los Angeles, was reported yesterday; no distance given; due at Pier 61, North River, Wednesday forenoon.

Transpacific Mails

The connecting mails close at the G. P. O. and City Hall P. O. Station, New York, at 5:00 P. M. daily, as follows:

Hawaii, via San Francisco	Wilhelmina Dec. 14
Tahiti, Society Islands, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand and Australia, via San Francisco; also parcel post mails for Society Islands, Cook Islands, New Zealand and Australia	Wanganui Dec. 16
Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed correspondence only), via Seattle	Hawaii Maru Dec. 17
Hawaii, via San Francisco	Matsonia Dec. 21
Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed correspondence only); via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Empress of Russia Dec. 23
Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Siberia, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies, Straits Settlements, Brunei, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Philippine Islands, via Seattle; also parcel post mails for Japan, Korea, China, Siam, French Indochina, Brunei, Labuan, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Straits Settlements. (Seapost)	President McKinley Dec. 23
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Siberia, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies, Straits Settlements, Brunei, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Philippine Islands, via San Francisco; also parcel-post mails for Japan, Korea, China, Siam, French Indochina, Brunei, Labuan, Malay States, North Borneo, Sarawak and Straits Settlements. (Seapost)	President Lincoln Dec. 26
Hawaii (specially addressed correspondence only), via San Pedro, Cal.	City of Los Angeles Dec. 26
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, Australia and New Zealand, via San Francisco; also parcel-post mails for Samoan Islands and Australia	Sonoma Dec. 27

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CAPITAL required for expansion; $50,000 will secure third interest in corporation now manufacturing and selling high-grade automobile accessory; advertiser has been behind filling orders last three months, yet is only covering limited field; foundation laid; enormous business can be built quickly; stock brokers will not be considered. Z 2462 Times Annex.

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EXPERIENCED MAN in well established woodworking plant; capital required; splendid opportunity for right party. W 772 Times Downtown.

$10,000 required for expanding canned food proposition; will give half interest to right party; principals only. V 742 Times Downtown.

MAN wanted with $2,000 to invest in exceptional business proposition; large profits; no stock proposition. W 250 Times.

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MANUFACTURER'S opportunity Australia and the Far East—Representative making 3 years' trip, open for another meritorious product; attend collections, adjustments, &c. Young Co., 27 Warren St., New York.

MANUFACTURER wanted to make and finance new patented auto tire rim already in great demand; large proposition. A 70 Times.

MAN desires position as manufacturer of automobile polishes, dressings, inks, soaps and dyes; 25 years' experience; has tested formulas. Louis Grumbach, 346 West 26th St.

MECHANICAL engineer, 30, well rated, seeks connection established business; agency; industrial following; invest if necessary. G 963 Times Downtown.

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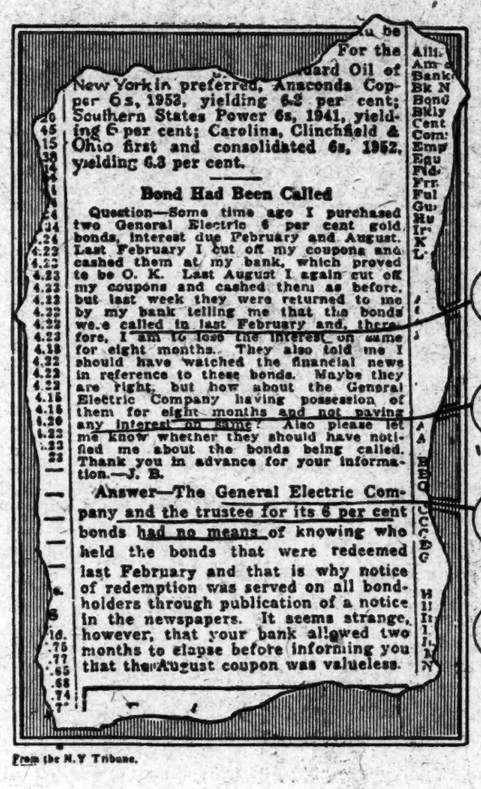

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Question—Some time ago I purchased two General Electric 6 per cent gold bonds, interest due February and August. Last February I cut off my coupons and cashed them at my bank, which proved to be O. K. Last August I again cut off my coupons and cashed them as before, but last week they were returned to me by my bank telling me that the bonds were called in last February and, therefore, I am to lose the interest on same for eight months. They also told me I should have watched the financial news in reference to these bonds. Maybe they are right, but how about the General Electric Company having possession of them for eight months and not paying any interest on same? Also please let me know whether they should have notified me about the bonds being called. Thank you in advance for your information.—J. B.

Answer—The General Electric Company and the trustee for its 6 per cent bonds had no means of knowing who held the bonds that were redeemed last February and that is why notice of redemption was served on all bondholders through publication of a notice in the newspapers. It seems strange, however, that your bank allowed two months to elapse before informing you that the August coupon was valueless.

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